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SPEECH BY MONTGOMERY

Speaker of the House Made the Oratorical Effort of His Life.

IN SUPPORT OF ASSESSORS

Opponents of the Bucklin Bill Hold a Club Over Friends of the Revenue Measure.

Special to The Gazette.

Denver, Feb. 11.—For practically four hours Speaker Montgomery stood before the house today and fought for that section of the revenue bill which provides that the county assessors shall value the corporate property within their respective counties. He was in his prime, and when he had completed, all who had heard him admitted that it was a masterful effort. He used to advantage the knowledge he gained while on the commission which created the revenue bill, and his speech teemed with wit, sarcasm and repartee. He discussed the question from a legal as well as a practical standpoint. When in the discussion he would use every effort to make his position clear and questions asked of him which were asked in earnest would receive a careful answer, but the person who tackled him with the idea of confusion usually received the cold shoulder of his sarcasm, together with the laughter of the listeners. His arraignment of the courts that have made adverse decisions in the revenue case was terrific. He declared that Colorado would be better off today had Chief Justic Campbell's prolonged his stay in Europe and that Judge Riner's decision was the greatest monument to disgrace ever erected in the state. He pictured the conditions which have been brought about because of two assessing powers and contended that with but one such power they would not exist. People who have followed the speaker say that today's address was the effort of his life. It may be that such was the case, for he certainly had something in his mind to inspire him. It is a well-known fact that he is a candidate for congress next fall and before the house opened this morning many of his friends cautioned him to make just such an appeal as could be used during his campaign for the nomination.

When the house opened this morning, the friends of the state board of equalization claimed a majority of the members, but they were not prepared for the battle which followed. One by one of the leaders of their side tried to stop the current of sentiment, by questioning the speaker, but when night came, he had answered every question propounded and the vote stood 34 to 2 in favor of the assessors, but the house is on record for that body and a deadlock seems imminent. This, however, is not the only serious question which promises to retard the passage of the revenue bill. During the day, a combine was started among the opposers of the Bucklin bill in the house. If its organization is successful, those who oppose this measure will say to the supporters of the revenue bill, "You repeal the Bucklin amendment, or we will defeat your measure." One of the leaders of the fight against the Bucklin bill said tonight: "Things by tomorrow night our combination will be so strong that we will either force them to repeal the Bucklin bill, or we will tie up their revenue measure." On the other hand, the supporters of the Bucklin bill are not asleep and are this evening those who are not directly connected with the revenue bill were forming a combination to oppose the passage of the revenue bill unless the Bucklin measure is left alone. Thus it is that the supporters of the revenue measure will be between two fires.

SUMMARY OF THE SPEECH OF SPEAKER MONTGOMERY

Special to the Gazette.

Denver, Feb. 11.—When the house opened this morning Representative Sprague read a letter from Mrs. Nathers, wife of Doorkeeper Nathers, of Colorado Springs saying that the latter was still too ill to return to his duties. He was granted a longer leave of absence. The usual number of petitions regarding pending legislation were read and referred.

Representative Briscoe introduced a resolution, which went over one day, which stated that it was the sense of the house that the assembly should enact the revenue measure and go home. The house then went into the committee of the whole and began the discussion of the revenue bill.

Representative Montgomery of Teller immediately began his address in favor of the state board of assessors.

"There are," said he, "two general propositions in this:

"First. The measure proposed by the amendment as modified by the other sections.

"Second. Is the policy outlined wise and should it be adopted?

"In order to understand a constitutional amendment we must understand its environments. The most difficult of all subjects of legislation is taxation. Human nature is human nature and no one of us wishes to pay any more taxes than possible. I had the honor of being a member of the commission that originally drafted the revenue law—the revenue law that I believe met the requirements of the constitution in every respect. That was a stupendous undertaking. It embraced everything that brings us in money. We as the commission, annotated the revenue laws of our own and 26 other states. As I understood the gentleman from Pueblo (Mr. Martin) he would divide this revenue measure into several laws. That was the trouble we, as a commission, found with the revenue laws of this state. I believe that every department of our laws should be dependent on the whole. If a section of this bill is declared unconstitutional it does not necessarily mean that the entire bill is unconstitutional.

"Let us discuss whether there be power in the legislature to give this state its best law. All rights, sovereign and fundamental, rest with the people. Neither the federal nor the state governments possess any powers that are not derived from the people. The federal rights consists of a series of grants of power from the people. Our union is divided into states each of which is subject to the rights granted by the federal powers. The proposition is this, that unless there is found in the state constitution some power limiting our work in taxation it is not limited.

"What does our constitution say in respect to the collection of revenue? Some affirmative declarations, some quasi-affirmative but mostly negative declarations. The most said is about the mode of assessing property and the collecting of taxes. The supreme court has often held that the legislature has the power to bring about this mode of taxation in any manner it may determ-mean.

"During my remarks I invite you to interrogate me at any time you may wish.

"No one of my friends on the other side has adduced a decision from any court to show that our position is unconstitutional. Judge Dikoste declared in a single important feature of our revenue bill. He only attacked it because of a claimed misprovision.

"Judge Dikoste issued his injunction and this was followed by that extraordinary order for publication restraining his order. This last was issued by Judges Dikoste and Steele. Judge Campbell was in Europe. And I stand ready to prove it would have been to the eternal honor of this state had he made his visit longer.

"In the contempt cases the state bore the penalty for the contempt of the individual assessors. The supreme court declared that as a punishment for contempt the writs formerly sent out were void. Why this decision? I'll tell you. There was a judge in the federal court that wanted to get his nose in and the supreme court had to make this decision in order to open a hole for the federal judge to get in. If I am not right why did the Riner court issue the injunctions before the supreme court of our state had completed its decision?

"I want to consider the opinion of Judge Riner for a moment. It was not a legal opinion, it was a political opinion. Nay, not that, it was a corporation decision and it will go down as the greatest monument to disgrace ever erected in our state.

"Judge Riner overstepped the question presented in his decision and that decision does not count for any more than had my friend from Pueblo rendered it. He was only asked to pass upon the board of 13 assessors and he passed upon a board composed of 57 assessors, something that did not exist. Why did he thus overstep his bounds? It was because of the men behind the scenes.

"The county assessor can assess property outside of his own county. Who does not know that the sheriff can go into every county of the state to do his duty. The same words of our constitution which provides for our sheriff provides for our assessor. The legislature has conferred power upon the sheriff to do his duty in all counties and we can confer similar powers upon the assessor. I have it yet to learn that an officer can not constitutionally come to Denver and get some knowledge which will help him to properly value his property. This is the first time that I ever heard that it was against the constitution of our state to acquire knowledge.

"I heard Willard Teller, that man who reminds one of an icicle before you can come within a rod of him, say to the supreme court, 'I and my associates represent $200,000,000.' We have only valued their property at $135,000,000.

"In my judgment the law conferring assessing powers upon the state board of equalization is unconstitutional. The supreme court has decided differently, yet I hold my own opinion even though I bow to the powers that be. The state board of equalization and the county board of equalization are created by the same law. If the legislature can confer the assessing power upon the state board of equalization could it not also confer assessing power upon the county board of equalization? If you rob the assessor of his power to assess corporate property can you not also rob him of his power to assess real property? If you can confer such power upon the state board of equalization could you not also confer the powers of governor, the secretary of state or any other state officer upon this board?

"The conferring of this assessing power upon the state board of equalization has been the upas tree that has poisoned our state institutions and brought ruin to our state. I'm opposed to this board. Because its a relic of time that I would love to forget. The conferring of a special privilege upon a few at the expense of the many.

"When the assessing power was given to the state board of equalization corporations were demanding special privileges and this was the only way they could secure them. We can extend the same device or intended honesty to the several assessors as is extended to the members of the board of equalization.

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STOPPED TREATMENT OF SMELTER ORES

By Associated Press.

Omaha, Feb. 11.—The Omaha smelter has discontinued the smelting of South American and Canadian ores owing to the small percentage of profit. It is stated that these ores carry a large amount of lead which has become less profitable by reason of a decline in prices. The closing of the smelter at Argentine, Kas., however, has materially increased the work here and much of the Argentine machinery is being installed at the local plant. This and the increased receipts of American ore is also given as a reason for shutting foreign ores out of the Omaha smelter.

RESOLUTIONS BY ARMY POST AND RELIEF CORPS

The following resolutions have been adopted by the G. A. R. Post 22 and W. R. C. No. 4 of this city occasioned by the death in the Philippines of Corporal W. E. Curl.

They have been presented to the father and mother of the deceased:

Colorado Springs, Jan. 28, 1902.

To Comrade and Sister Curl, Amo, Colo.

We the members of Colorado Springs Post No. 22 and W. R. C. No. 4, are grieved to learn of the accidental death of your son William E. Curl in the far away Philippine islands where he had faithfully served his country for more than two years. Having inherited the love of country from a soldier father, he went forth to uphold the flag in the same spirit of loyalty which ever characterize the brave volunteer soldier of America.

Therefore, we would extend to you our love and sympathy in this your great loss; but while you have them, well we know we cannot lighten your burden or take from you the sorrow that must be yours. Only our Heavenly Father can bring to you comfort and solace in this trying hour and give you strength to be submissive to His will and may "the Lord lift up his countenance upon thee and give thee peace," is our prayer.

Irene De Tolver,
Cora B. Sawyer,
Ella C. C. Dwinnell,
P. D. Constock,
L. E. Sherman,
D. W. Robbins.

A BEAUTIFUL CHASE FOR MONTGOMERY

A party of lovers of the chase went out to the Thornton pastures yesterday and spent the day. The party rode more than 40 miles but did not see anything in the nature of game throughout the day.

Those in the party, besides Joe Kenyon, were: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Butler Williamson, Miss Nina Crosby, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. Farnsworth and Mrs. F. G. Smith; Messrs. Mellen, Stein, Scott, Schley, Vesey, Sherwin and Shewalter.

AMERICAN LEAGUE PLAYERS WILL VISIT CITY

A party of American league players is expected in the city within a few days. They have been spending the winter in California, playing with the various teams, and they are now en route home. There are about a dozen in the party.

Some of the players are accompanied by their wives and the party will stop here at the instance of William Hulen, formerly of this city. They were to leave the coast yesterday.

HULEN WILL PLAY WITH LOS ANGELES

Billie Hulen, who managed the Millionaires last season, will play with Los Angeles this season. While all of the arrangements have not been made he has practically agreed to play with the team in that city.

Since leaving here Hulen has been playing ball a part of the time and in a letter to a friend here he says that he has been doing exceptionally well. He has been playing in left field and has been doing good work with the stick.

Hulen's parents live at Dixon, Calif., and he has made up his mind to remain in the state. He is very well pleased with the climate and says that he can earn as much, if not more, money there than he could here. In addition to this he is enabled to play ball practically a year if he so desires.

Frank Hemphill, who returned to the city a day or two ago, says that Hulen was contemplating signing with Los Angeles when he left.

SEARCHER TALKS SOME OF COINS FROM QUINLAN

A thief broke into the home of Tom Quinlan, captain of fire company No. 1, at No. 21 West Mill street, yesterday afternoon. The robber stole some old coins belonging to Captain Quinlin, but did not take anything else, although the house was ransacked.

The robbery was committed while none of the family was at home. The thief broke the glass in the back door and then reached in and turned the key in the lock. He turned everything upside-down in the house, but stole only the coins. A watch belonging to Captain Quinlin was not disturbed. The robbery was discovered by Mrs. Quin in when she returned in the afternoon.

PENITENTIARY GUARD WAS HERE YESTERDAY

A guard from the state penitentiary at Canon City arrived in Colorado Springs yesterday afternoon looking for a convict who escaped from the institution about 8 o'clock Monday night. While the guard was here he was notified by telephone that the escaped prisoner had been captured near Florence. He was on his way to that city.

The escaped convict was Joseph Thomas. After his escape Monday night he met a man near Canon City and inquired the way to Colorado Springs. This was reported to Warden F. H. Martin yesterday morning and a guard was sent here to look out for Thomas.

NEW MEXICO OUTLAWS

By Associated Press.

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 11.—Governor Otero today addressed a strong letter to the sheriffs of Guadalupe, Lincoln, Union and Chaves counties, urging them to end the reign of terror in localities settlement in eastern New Mexico caused by murdering and whipping bands of outlaws and promising that he will recommend to the next legislature that rewards be given to men who are instrumental in capturing one of certain notorious characters.

TELLER ON PHILIPPINES

Colorado Senator Concluded His Speech Begun Monday.

ANOTHER WARM DISCUSSION

Senator Hoar's Ridicule Roused Senator Platt to a Notable Speech of Much Force.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 11.—At the conclusion of routine business in the senate today 40 minutes were devoted to the consideration of bills on the calendar, exclusive of private pension bills.

Upon the request of Mr. Hoar the senate proceeded to the consideration of a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States respecting the commencement and termination of congress, changing the date of the inauguration of the president and vice president from March 4 to the last Thursday in April at noon, the commencement and termination of congresses to occur at the same time.

Mr. Stewart protested against the passage of the resolution, but by vote the senate overruled his object on and adopted the resolution by the necessary two-thirds vote.

Among the other measures passed were the following:

Appropriating $80,000 for a public building at Gainesville, Texas, to establish a sub-port of entry at Naco, Arizona; appropriating $15,000 for a fog signal and keeper's dwelling at Piedras Blancas, Calif.; appropriating $10,000 for a monument to the memory of Dorothea Lynde Dix, to be erected at Hampden, Maine; resolution recognizing the able and gallant services of Captain Francis Tuttle, revenue cutter service, his officers and men of the Bear, also the heroic services of Lieutenant D. H. Jarvis, E. P. Berthoff and Dr. Samuel J. Call, composing the overland expedition to Point Barrow, Arctic ocean, for the relief of imperiled whalers.

At o'clock consideration of the Philippine tariff bill was resumed.

Mr. Teller who had the floor when the senate adjourned yesterday continued his speech. He did not think the holding of the Philippines by this government ever would be profitable and he could see readily that it might prove dangerous. It was contrary to our principles to hold any people in subjection by force. Nobody, he said, was likely to question the right of the United States to hold the Philippine archipelago; no nation would care to raise such a question. That question might be raised in the American congress, but nowhere else. He felt that a profound mistake had been made in our early treatment of the people of the Philippines but the question had been passed and it was now our duty to do what was right.

Nobody believed, he insisted, that the United States could force upon the Filipinos our government, or our civilization. Those people were of a different race from the Anglo-Saxon and such a government as would be desirable for Americans would not be desirable for the Filipinos.

"In the whole history of the world," said he, "no nation has ever elevated the people of another race or nation against the protest of the people whom it was attempted to elevate.

"If people ever are elevated," he declared, "they must elevate themselves by their own efforts."

Referring to the assertion that the United States was a creature of destiny in its connection with the Philippine islands and this government was but carrying out the decrees of Providence among the people of the archipelago, Mr. Teller declared that he should want a plain edict from the Almighty—an edict that he would know did not come from the evil one—before he would be willing to accept the supposed decree of destiny.

"I could well imagine," said he, "that the methods we are pursuing might emanate from the evil one, but I cannot imagine that they should emanate from the great lover of the human race. I insist that in all this business his voice has not been heard. If there is any reason why Americans should be in the Philippine islands it cannot be found in the command of the Almighty."

Some evil influence, he said, dominated and controlled the executive department of the government and the president's voice was no longer for peace, but for war. Had the administration declared its present policy toward the Philippines at the outset the treaty with Spain would not have been ratified.

"There is no certainty," he asserted, "that because we have lived 125 years we will live always. But we will live always if we keep in mind all the time that justice must be done by every man to every other man, and we must above all deal justly with every power we come in touch with."

Mr. Foraker said that the section and reason as enacted for the Philippines were almost identical with those of Tennessee.

Mr. Hoar interrupted to ask if the order of General Otis directing forced submission was not itself an act of war.

Mr. Teller answered that 10 years ago it would have been so considered whereupon Mr. Hoar declared that the Filipinos could not be coerced with opening host lines when the United States, by General Otis order, had issued a formal act of war long before.

Mr. Teller expressed the opinion that the Filipinos never would consent to our control of the islands.

"Is the senator entirely certain," interrected Mr. Platt (Conn.) "that a majority of the Christian people of the islands do not consent to our government?"

Mr. Teller replied that if he could trust the information which had come to him not one-tenth of the people wanted the United States government in the islands. He urged, however, that the Filipinos ought to be afforded an opportunity to express their sentiments without the fear of bayonet rule.

Mr. Patterson interrupted to say that General MacArthur and Judge Taft both were on record as saying that practically the entire population in the islands was opposed to American rule and that Governor Taft also had stated that the Christians in the islands were vigorously opposed to the control of this government.

Continuing, Mr. Teller said that "that is a sad, sad, sad commentary on the conduct of the American government in the islands."

Mr. Hoar suggested to Mr. Teller that an order was said to have been issued by the Philippine commission prohibiting the reading of the Declaration of Independence at a Fourth of July celebration in Manila and he inquired if that were not inconsistent with the statements of the majority.

Promising to discuss that and other points later, Mr. Teller yielded the floor for the day.

Mr. Platt (Conn.) replying to some statements made by Mr. Teller, pointed out that the American army in the Philippines had been reduced from 70,000 to less than 40,000. He thought it very strange that the American force could be reduced thus if all the Filipinos were struggling against American control.

"We ought to consider facts," he urged. "We ought to take things as they are and not things as they may be conjured up. We are getting along reasonably well in those islands. Peace will come to them and a government will be established there in which the Filipinos themselves will have a large part and which will prove to be a blessing to them."

The senate agreed to a conference on the pension appropriation bill, and Senators Gallinger, Pritchard and Turner were named as conferees.

Mr. Hoar (Mass.) in reply to Mr. Platt, referred to the declarations of Filipinos which the latter had read as "a sweet morsel" wrested from a conquered people by a great army. He had no knowledge of the methods by which these declarations had been obtained, but disclaimed any reflection upon the American authorities or the American army.

Mr. Hoar ridiculed the elections to which Mr. Platt referred declaring that under the sedition laws enacted by the Philippine commission it was a penitentiary offense for anybody in the islands to advocate an opinion or political policy. He referred in a facetious vein to the schools established in the islands by the American authorities, asserting that in not one of them could the Declaration of Independence be read and no patriotic speech delivered in safety.

Mr. Hoar's remarks called forth a vigorous utterance from Mr. Platt, who said that his respect for the long and distinguished career of the senator from Massachusetts would prevent him from replying as he would reply to some others. He believed he said that the American people would regret the "sneers" of the senator from Massachusetts at the efforts of the government to educate the children of the Philippine islands.

Speaking of the petitions for independence presented to congress a year ago to which Mr. Hoar had referred, Mr. Platt said they were paraded here now as they had been at the time of their presentation as positive proof that all the Filipino people wanted independence and freedom from American control. He intimated that they had been prepared by the Filipino junta, either in Hong-kong or in Boston, and asserted that they bore on their face evidence of being "machine made."

Mr. Platt paid a high tribute to Governor Taft and his associates on the Philippine commission and inquired:

"Is what these men say about the Philippine islands to be whistled down the wind by our friends on the other side, reinforced by the senator from Massachusetts? Personally, I propose to trust the Philippine commission."

Mr. Hoar interrupted to inquire if Mr. Platt thought the Filipinos would have adopted the treason law enacted by the Philippine commission had it been submitted to them.

The Connecticut senator replied that he could not say, but Connecticut had a law which the people of that state had never found inconsistent with their rights and liberties. He read the law which proved to be not dissimilar to that which had been enacted in the Philippines. He pointed out as one of the benefcent results of American occupation of the Philippines that schools had been established in the islands and that nearly 1,000 American teachers had gone to the archipelago to educate the Filipino children.

Mr. Platt read the treason law referred to by Mr. Hoar, to show that it was directed against the formation of secret societies, the purpose of which in whole or in part, was the promotion of sedition, rebellion and treason.

It seems strange, said he, that human observation can be so warped as to draw such conclusions from the enactment of this law as had been drafted by the senator from Massachusetts.

It was a statute, he said, aimed at secret plotting, such plotting at one time nearly resulted in inducing in the city of Manila a massacre of our troops and friends.

"If we are a government worthy of the name," said Mr. Platt, with great vehemence, "wherever men take up arms against the United States in any district or territory where the sovereignty of the United States obtains we will put that insurrection down. No perversion of the names of liberty will prevent the American people from putting down rebellion wherever it may rear its ugly head."

In conclusion he said:

"I believe that the time is coming when the world shall be christianized, when the world shall be converted to the cause of free government and I believe that the United States is appointed providentially as agent for that purpose."

Mr. Hoar replied particularly to Mr. Platt's assertion of the treason law enacted by the Philippine commission and to his statements concerning the Connecticut statute which he quoted.

"I confess," said Mr. Hoar, "I have [illegible] that men, even the [illegible] not if what they say [illegible] when [illegible] the [illegible] says: [illegible] extreme [illegible] distrust [illegible] dence of the [illegible] that process [illegible] the [illegible] was [illegible] the same time makes it a penitentiary offense to read the Declaration on the Fourth of July, I confess I am very little impressed by his judgment and very profoundly impressed by his edict."

The senate then, at 5:45 p. m., adjourned.

BIG LAND CASE STILL UNDECIDED

By Associated Press.

Denver, Feb. 11.—The impression that the Colorado court of appeals in reversing the decision of the district court of El Paso county which dismissed a suit against the Denver & Rio Grande railway company for damages resulting from the fire which destroyed much property in Colorado Springs on August 1, 1898, decided that the railway company was responsible for the losses entailed by the fire, proves to be erroneous. The court of appeals has merely decided that the lower court erred in limiting the plaintiff to one of four causes of action named in the complaint and in excluding testimony which was offered. The effect of the decision is to reopen the question of liability for damages resulting from the fire.

ARMY POST LOCATIONS

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The report of the board of high ranking army officers, headed by Lieutenant General Miles, which considered the question of army posts, was made public at the war department today.

The board recommends the establishment of the following new posts:

One for a regiment of infantry in the vicinity of Los Angeles, Calif.

One for a regiment of cavalry on the camp site on the Nacimiento Ranch.

One for a regiment of infantry in the vicinity of Albuquerque, N. M.

One for a regiment of infantry at Governor's Island, N. Y., harbor.

One for a regiment of infantry in the vicinity of Washington, D. C., north of the Potomac river.

One for a battalion of infantry in the Red river valley in the vicinity of Crookston.

One for a regiment of infantry on the camp site in the Conowago Valley, Pennsylvania, when practicable.

The sites recommended for the four permanent camps are:

One in the vicinity of Chickamauga Park, Georgia.

One at Fort Riley, Kas.

One in the Conowago Valley, in Lebanon, Dauphin and Lancaster counties, Pennsylvania.

One on the Nacimiento ranch, in Monterey and San Luis Obispe counties, California.

The board recommends that the necessary surveys be made of the Nacimiento ranch and the Conowago valley.

No less important than the creation of new posts and camps was the duty assigned to the board of indicating which of the existing posts might be discontinued, and also how the accommodations of the posts might be changed for the better. The board has solved these questions by submitting a table which, while it does not indicate any existing post for immediate abandonment, because of a number of such posts as "temporary," indicating that they are to be eliminated gradually from the list of army posts.

The board says that its recommendations are based on a total force of 50,000 men, infantry, cavalry and field artillery. The temporary posts are at Boise, Idaho; Fort Davis, Alaska; Fort Gibbon, Alaska; Fort Liscum, Alaska; Missoula, Mont.; Skagway City, Alaska; St. Michael, Alaska; Walla Walla, Alaska; Fort Washakie, Wyo., and Fort Wingate, N. M.

Among the permanent posts the following assignments are made:

D. A. Russell Fort, Wyoming, headquarters and 12 companies infantry and one field artillery; Douglas Fort, Utah, headquarters and 12 companies of infantry and two batteries field artillery; Duchesne Fort, Utah, two troops of cavalry; Logan Fort, Colorado, headquarters and 12 companies of infantry.

COUNTRY HOME BURNED.

By Associated Press.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 11.—Brookside, the handsome country home of John H. Bass, head of the Bass Car Wheel foundries here and elsewhere, was totally destroyed by fire today at an early hour. The fire originated from increased gas pressure in the furnaces during the night. Loss on the building is $1,0,000 and on contents $60,000. Insurance $110,000. Brookside is two miles from the city and the fire was wholly beyond control before the fire companies reached the place. The Bass home was one of the handsomest residences in the state and contained many art treasures.

SURVIVING CREW OF BURNED SCHOONER

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 11.—The schooner which was burned to the water's edge off a point near Cape May last night was the Mary Graham, 195 tons, from Norfolk to New York, and the crew is safe, having reached here late this afternoon. They were picked up by the schooner J. C. Clifford. Capt. F. H. Medley and five seamen comprised the crew of the Graham. She was a two-master, which left Norfolk three weeks ago yesterday, lumber laden, for New York.

Early last Saturday morning the schooner was caught in the ice which was coming out of the Delaware river and the captain, fearful that he would be crushed or blown ashore, dropped both anchors, being at that time eight and a half miles northwest of Cape May. The schooner was leaking and the crew was kept at the pumps. They suffered terribly from the cold and the hands of Mate Charles Anderson and Gus Bunson were frost bitten.

WAR FACTIONS.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The voting on amendments to the oleomargarine bill in the house today indicated a considerable change of sentiment since last congress, when the bill had 104 majority and that the opposition to the measure has gained strength. While the passage of the bill is not endangered, it is not likely the majority tomorrow, when the final vote is taken, will not exceed 30.

The opposition today was strong enough in committee of the whole to assert the amendments, one providing that nothing in the act should be construed to prevent the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine in any state for consumption in any state in such state and the other to provide for the inspection of manufacture of renovated or process butter. The latter amendment was especially condemned by the friends of the bill. Speaker Henderson said was repeated to be equal to a separate vote was [illegible] was [illegible] the amendment commanded a majority of 20 in committee of the whole, where no record is made, it is not unlikely that the action of the committee will be reversed tomorrow when members are obliged to go on record. Several committee amendments were adopted today, the most important being that making 10 cent tax apply to oleomargarine made in imitation of butter "of any shade of yellow." Considerable feeling was injected into the proceedings toward the close of the session.

TO STUDENTS—President Parsons spoke to the students of Colorado college yesterday morning on the subject of paying dues. He advised those who have not yet paid their athletic dues to do so at once. A good portion of the dues subscribed to carry the football team through the season has been paid.

MORMONS AGAIN DENY REPORTS OF POLYGAMY

By Associated Press.

Salt Lake, Feb. 11.—The Ministerial Alliance of Salt Lake has unanimously adopted the report of that organization appointed to investigate and report on the alleged practice and teaching of polygamy by the Mormons at the present time. This report is to be used as a petition for the passage of a constitutional amendment prohibiting polygamy, and will be sent to the judiciary committee of congress. The report which is quite lengthy sets forth that positive evidence can be produced that polygamy is both practiced and taught by the Mormons at the present time in open defiance of the laws of the state. The document contains numerous quoted statements alleged to have been made by Mormon leaders in which the practice and teachings of polygamy are advocated and urged regardless of man-made laws to the contrary.

The Deseret News, the official organ of the Mormon church, tonight editorially denounces the report of the Ministerial association as a mass of representations built on a number of stories "many of them grossly false; most of them purposely exaggerated and the whole relating to a very small portion of the population of this state and of the Mormon part of it."

"The unreliability of the tales told by the people on whom these ministers depend for the scandals in which they delight," says the News, "and the reports made by anti-Mormons of speeches delivered by Mormon elders and others had been demonstrated time and time again.

"The plain and simple truth is that polygamy is not taught or encouraged by the authorities of the church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and that plural marriages are no longer solemnized. But that men who contracted such marriages in the past are expected to care for, love and support their families and would be regarded as recreant to their faith and violators of their sacred covenants if they refused or neglected to do so. That their numbers are very small compared to the bulk of the population; that the enemies of the 'Mormon' people are endeavoring to make a mountain out of a mole hill; that while some of them may believe there is a little foundation for their foolish fears of 'Mormon' intent, some of them know better and are wilfully attempting to bear false witness against their neighbors and to deceive the American public.

"The purpose of this misrepresentation is well understood and so is the animus which impels them."

TERRIFIC WIND STORM IN NEVADA DESERTS

Salt Lake, Feb. 11.—A special to the Herold from Reno, Nev., says:

Since early this morning the wide stretch of desert in western and central Nevada has been swept by a wind storm that at times has approached the proportions of a hurricane. At several points on the Central Pacific between Reno and Elko the wind at times blew at the rate of 80 miles an hour, and though no serious damage to property has been reported, delayed trains, prostrated telegraph wires and long stretches of rail almost buried in sand tell of the force of the gale. Vast clouds of sand, picked up by the gale, were hurled across the country with fearful force and at Wadsworth, Deseret, Thistle and other towns business was practically suspended all afternoon, it being almost impossible for people to breathe while facing the drifting whirling walls of dust and sand. At Deseret and Mirage the sand filled the air to such an extent that the sun was obscured and lamps were necessary. At Humboldt house about 40 miles west of Winnemucca, the few people who ventured out of doors beheld a peculiar sight. About eight miles south of the town is a mountain, rising abruptly from the sandy desert. The wind, sweeping across the flat country caught the snow of the hill and seemed to stretch it out for two or three miles from the slopes. Through occasional breaks in the clouds of dust across the plain between the town and the mountain the middle slopes could be seen, apparently swept bare of snow in a few hours by the terrific force of the wind. The storm tonight shows but little sign of abatement.

DENVER MEN VISITED BOULDER OIL FIELDS

Special to the Gazette.

Boulder, Feb. 11.—The Colorado & Southern ran a special train of four coaches from Denver to the oil wells this afternoon, bringing up a large party of Denver people. The party was in charge of Assistant General Manager Harry Van Meter of the Colorado & Southern and consisted of the following well-known men: James W. Ballentine, George E. Berger, Col. Ed. Bishop, R. C. Bogy, H. C. Bush, D. W. Brunton, J. A. Choate, W. S. Cheesman, Alf. Crebben, J. A. Caven, Dr. D. H. Dougan, Frank H. Dunleavy, George B. Dodge, J. W. Morey, George C. Martin, E. F. Power, John H. Toot, Wm. B. Page, H. M. Porter, Howard T. Pearce, Lawrence C. Phipps, C. E. Ross-Lewis, W. R. Rathvon, H. T. Rogers, G. C. Schleire, Gen. U. S. Hollister, W. B. James, C. B. Kountze, E. S. Kelley, E. S. Kassler, J. F. Kebler, H. H. Keffler, Judge LeFevre, A. H. Lowe, John C. Mitchell, J. C. Montgomery, Chester S. Morey, Dr. G. A. Fisk, J. W. Beeman, Philip Feldhauser, J. A. Ferguson, E. L. N. Foster, J. W. Gibson, T. B. Gaylord, A. G. Durham, E. R. Griffin, J. L. Garner, W. K. Gillette, Dennis Sheeby, Dennis Sullivan, J. W. Springer, S. S. Struby, George W. Skinner, R. W. Speer, A. A. Thatcher, Thomas Tonge, E. F. Taylor, H. H. Tammen, George W. Vallery, Ford Wilson, J. C. Willmore, B. F. Wilson, R. R. Wright, Jr., and Dr. Chipley. The main object of the trip was to see the McKenzie well in operation, but unfortunately, owing to some slight accident, the pump was not working when the party arrived, much to the disappointment of the visitors. After they had spent an hour inspecting the well and securing samples of the oil, the special returned to Denver.

Big timbers are being placed at the Headlight ground today on the site of the new well, which will be put down about 500 feet from the Arnold.

The stock market was somewhat stronger today and brokers report quite a number of sales, Alamo being the most active, at about 7 cents.

The Pennsylvania Crude Oil company has been organized under the laws of Wyoming to operate in the Boulder oil fields. The incorporators and directors are J. M. Harden, L. Somner of Colorado Springs and J. A. Ranzin, R. M. Rank and W. D. Ord of Denver. The company own a lease for 20 years on 40 acres one-half mile south of the McKenzie well. They have ordered a derrick and machinery and will put down a well immediately.

Other new companies were the Amber Oil & Gas Co., of which A. R. Donaldson is president and Charles S. Landis, secretary; the Portland Oil & Gas Co., organized by E. W. Clark, J. M. Eubanks, William A. Lungren, J. A. Gillmore, William D. Clark, J. E. Swarer, John E. Clark, L. M. Clark and Mrs. S. T. Cooke, and the Henry Oil & Development Co., of which W. B. Dixon is president and F. A. Bader, secretary. Quotations on the curb today are:

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Boulder Oil	5	25
Central	5	6
Interstate	5½	7
Alamo	6½	7½
Boulder Central	5	6
Northern Light	4¼	5
Virginia	4½	5
Homestake	4½	5
Phoenix	2½	3
Headlight	15	17
Keystone	8	10
Rose	3½	4
Sale	2½	3
Boulder North Bend	4½	5
Boulder El Paso	4¼	5
Sunrise	4½	5
St. Vrain	4½	5
Merchants	2½	3
Monarch	3½	4
Riverside	4½	5
Citizens	4½	5
Centennial	4½	5
Home	4½	5
Republic	4½	5
Maxwell	2½	3

YOUNG ROOSEVELT MORE THAN HOLDS HIS OWN

Groton, Mass., Feb. 11.—The reports from the sick room of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., the eldest son of the president, who since Thursday last has been ill with pneumonia at the Groton school infirmary, tend to show an improvement and at 8 o'clock tonight his condition was authoritatively stated to be better than it was at the same time last night.

The crisis of the disease is still to come and is looked for within the next 24 or 36 hours. The president and his wife believe their son will meet this crisis in good shape and, passing it successfully, will recover. In fact the slight favorable turn in the disease today has greatly relieved the strain on both of them and the day closed much more cheerfully than yesterday. Still, the reports issued through Mr. Cortelyou, secretary to the president, ran between hope and fear.

Beginning with the morning, when the boy, awter an admittedly hard night, was reported as improved, although pleurisy in the right lung was mentioned, this favorable tendency was continued through the noon statement. Then at 2:45 p. m., it was stated that the boy's temperature had risen and that it would remain high and if anything increase a little toward morning. This somber tone seemed almost to neutralize the morning's encouraging notes.

The next report, at 6:30 in the evening, showed that, notwithstanding the high temperature the boy had more than held his own during the day and that his condition was favorable. Hopefulness was increased by an additional and voluntary report on Mr. Cortelyou's part at 8 o'clock that the lad was in better condition than at the same time last night although he said there had not been much change during the day—meaning that the favorable condition of the morning had been practically maintained.

All the reports were authoritative and in addition there was a cheery interview with Secretary Long after a hurried visit of courtesy to his chief in which he frankly said that the boy was better.

To confirm this came the president's sudden appearance, a little later in the afternoon, in the new sporting dome, a recreation house built by Mr. Gardner adjoining his own mansion. The president was dressed in a suit of flannels, and seemed ready for some exercise on the new squash court. He did not play, however, though he remained in the sunny building nearly two hours watching a game between Mrs. James Lawrence and Rev. Sherard Billings.

Another interesting event of the day was the receipt of a telegram from Ambassador Pauncefote at Washington, conveying King Edward's expression of sympathy for the president and hope for the speedy recovery of his son.

F. Randolph, wife and child of Chama, N. M., are in the city for a short visit. Mr. Randolph is a railroad man and it is quite probable he will remain in the city, securing employment from the Short Line. They are at the Spaulding at present.

D. H. Shepard of Beaumont, Texas, stopped in the city yesterday while on his way to Boulder. He is looking after the interests of an oil company and is going to Boulder to look over the ground.

Miss Caroline Price of New York city, is in the city for the benefit of her health. She will probably remain for several months. Miss Price is stopping at the Spaulding.

25 cents to Cripple Creek and the Colorado Midland railway.

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NEWS NOTES FROM DENVER

Lincoln Day Banquet and Banquet of Loyal Legion Will Occur Tonight.

Denver Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette.

Denver, Feb. 11.—The Lincoln day banquet will be held tomorrow evening at the Brown hotel. At noon today over 250 tickets had been sold and a number of Republicans from over the state had notified the secretary to hold them seats. Plates will be laid for 400. During the day a successor to Chairman Ford of the state central committee will be elected. There are a number of candidates for the position.

The fifteenth annual banquet of the Loyal Legion will take place tomorrow evening at the Montclair Casino. It promises to be very successful. Gen. John C. Black, former pension commissioner, ex-congressman from Illinois and a former resident of Colorado, will be the guest of honor and deliver the oration. A number of Colorado Springs parties will be in attendance.

A special Colorado & Southern train left here at 1 o'clock this afternoon with a party to visit the Boulder oil fields. About 75 representatives of the Colorado industry were guests of honor on the train.

Cattlemen in the eastern counties are expressing much concern over the appearance of mange among the cattle. At present it is worse than at any time in the history of cattle raising in that part of the state.

The Colorado Editorial association met in the parlors of the Albany hotel this morning. There were 22 present. After the reports of the committees, J. T. Lawless of Lamar was elected president; Otto H. Wangzelin was elected first vice president, G. E. Hosmer, second vice president; A. E. Pierce, secretary, and A. O. U. W. Record, treasurer.

The February meeting of the Union Republican club was held in the ordinary of the Brown Palace tonight. The address of the evening was delivered by Rev. Mr. Coyle of the First Presbyterian church. His subject was Abraham Lincoln. A strong delegation represented the Women's Republican league of Colorado.

NEWS NOTES FROM VICTOR

Victor Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Victor, Feb. 11.—A pretty wedding ceremony was solemnized this afternoon in the office of Justice of the Peace Corbin. The contracting parties were C. F. Ward of Goldfield and Miss Stella Newman of this city.

J. T. Kelly, a Midland terminal freight conductor, sustained a severe injury this afternoon in the yards while releasing a brake. A piece of iron struck him on the upper lip making a severe gash. Dr. Davidson took several stitches in the wound.

At St. Victor's Catholic church Rev. Father Downey last evening united in marriage Mr. B. J. Rock and Miss Lizzie M. Jones, two popular young people of this city. A large number of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony and a pretty reception followed the event. The groom is a well known miner employed at Stratton's Independence and the bride is a popular young lady of Victor. They will make their home at 412 Dewey avenue.

F. M. Reardon, Victor's postmaster and J. A. Greenawalt, editor of the Victor Record, will leave for Denver tomorrow morning where they go to attend the Lincoln day banquet to be given by the Republicans tomorrow night.

The funeral of Miss Bessie Knipbausen who died yesterday afternoon at her home in Hollywood will occur tomorrow, Wednesday, afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home. At 2:30 o'clock services will be held at the Presbyterian church. The interment will be at Sunnyside cemetery.

MANDARIN OF THE Precious Ruby Clasp.

An illustrious Chinese Mandarin was put on the famous American food, Grape-Nuts, and he and his wife cured of stomach and kidney trouble and heart disorder after he, in particular, had been pronounced by his physician incurable.

His letter is written by his interpreter and signed with his Chinese signature. It recites: "For three years I was under the care of the best physicians in Russia, Germany, France, America, as well as my own country. I had tried baths and water cures almost without number. I grew worse until finally my physician pronounced me incurable, and I was doomed to die in from three to six months.

A friend prevailed upon me to change my food and take up Grape-Nuts. This I did more to gratify my friend's than from any benefit I expected; but within 24 hours the results were so gratifying as to astonish and delight myself and family.

"My improvement continued without relapse until at the end of three months I was well and sound, weighed more and was stronger and had a better appetite and more perfect digestion than at any other time in my life.

"My wife was also a victim of serious stomach trouble from which she had suffered for several years. She has been restored to good, robust health by the use of Grape-Nuts.

"I have recommended it in about half a dozen families and it has never failed to benefit. I will be pleased to reply to all letters having stamped envelope enclosed." Pak Gaw Mun, Mandarin of the Ruby Button, member of the Literati, magistrate of the Order of the Manchurian Crane, Order of the Girdle of the Jade and Precious Ruby Clasp, servant to his imperial majesty, the Son of Heaven, etc., etc.

His interpreter and secretary, E. Percivale Baker, adds to the letter: "I am familiar with all the facts related by F. of Pak and know them to have been moderately stated. I also and my family have received much benefit from the use of Grape-Nuts."

NEWS NOTES FROM PUEBLO

Much Interest Taken in Boulder Oil—Escaped Convict Recaptured.

Pueblo Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Pueblo, Feb. 11.—W. S. Pinner of St. Louis was in this city today. He was trying to close a deal for some Pueblo real estate, but failed to do so. He will leave tonight for St. Louis.

Two runaways on Union avenue this evening caused a great deal of excitement. One man was thrown from his buggy and sustained slight injuries.

J. H. Aldrich will leave Pueblo tomorrow for Boulder for the purpose of opening a branch office there for the Indiana Oil company and so that he can be on the ground as the sinking of the company's oil wells progress. The Indiana company is the first Pueblo corporation to enter the Boulder fields. The company owns one tract of 40 acres adjoining the now famous tract on which the McKenzie well, the second producing well in the district is located. The work of drilling the first well will be commenced immediately at a point only a few yards distant from the McKenzie.

John Green, 42 years old, residing with his family at 1433 Cypress street died at 6 o'clock this morning at the C. F. & I. hospital.

George Wilson, a workman on the Santa Fe bridge gang, was struck by passenger train No. 4 in the yards above Court street shortly after 12 o'clock this noon, and dangerously injured. He was removed to the Pueblo hospital where physicians pronounce his condition critical.

Ed. Irving who escaped from the state penitentiary last July has been captured at Salt Lake City, and will return to the prison to serve out his sentence of life imprisonment for the murder of Martin Krasovic, an Austrian, in this city in 1898, while Irving and several others were holding up Joseph Cull's saloon in the Grove. Great satisfaction is expressed by the Pueblo officers over the capture of Irving. Though but 24 years old he is considered one of the most desperate criminals in the country.

J. J. McGinity of McPhee & McGinity lumber company, of Denver was in Pueblo yesterday and completed arrangements to build a large warehouse near the Missouri Pacific tracks.

A carboy of crude oil is on exhibition in the window of the Colorado & Southern railroad and ticket office. This oil was taken from the Arnold oil well at Boulder, one of the largest wells in that district and is of excellent quality. Through the courtesy of N. L. Drew, city passenger agent of the Colorado & Southern, the oil is displayed, that the public may have an opportunity of seeing oil in its natural state. Several carloads of machinery passed through Pueblo this morning on their way to Boulder. A great many people of this city are investing their money in the Boulder fields, and there is not a day passes without a large number of people going to Boulder.

The Pueblo Real Estate exchange held a meeting of the directors in the rooms of the Business Men's association yesterday afternoon. W. G. Carrington was elected secretary of the exchange.

Today was pay day at the Philadelphia smelter. The local merchants derive quite a benefit from this.

The Crews-Beggs store was closed all day owing to the death of Mrs. Crews who passed away yesterday morning in Indianapolis, Ind.

George Bell, one of Pueblo's prominent railroad contractors, has returned from Nevada. Mr. Bell secured some good contracts while there.

Middlecamp brothers sold to E. C. Ritchie of Denver, 20 lots in west Bessemer, consideration $8,000. It is understood that Mr. Ritchie will improve the property at once.

A few of the bricklayers who came here from Pittsburg, Pa., with the intention of working for the C. F. & I. company returned east today, refusing to go to work because the hours of labor prescribed at the works conflict with those laid down by the bricklayers' union.

J. R. Gorton, W. T. Fairfax, A. W. Lennard, J. F. Drake, C. C. Howe, Robert Cowles, John B. Rector and O. Q. McNeill went to Denver today to attend the Lincoln banquet which will be given there tomorrow evening.

ELKTON

Special to the Gazette.

Elkton, Feb. 11.—Sean Thomas, a miner employed at the Elkton property, left this afternoon via the Short Line for Colorado Springs, where he will visit for a few days.

The frame work for the new addition to the boiler house at the Elkton mine is well under way. Two 250-horse-power boilers will be added to the present battery.

Superintendent Sol Camp of the Elkton property, together with his wife, is visiting in Colorado Springs.

Mrs. McDowell has returned from a pleasant visit with relatives at Manhattan, Kansas.

R. E. Glover has resigned his position at the Elkton property and left for Old Mexico, where he will engage in mining.

Fred Harding, who had his foot injured at the Elkton, has left for Colorado Springs where he goes to be with his brother Dan, who sustained a broken leg several days ago in the mine. They are with their mother, Mrs. Harding, at Colorado Springs.

CRIPPLE CREEK NEWS NOTES

Doctor-Jack Pot Co. Defines Its Rights—James Riley Arrested for Disturbance.

Cripple Creek Bureau
Colorado Springs Gazette

Cripple Creek, Feb. 11.—In connection with the stated cancellation of the bond and lease held by the Doctor-Jack Pot Cons. Mining company upon the Roxanna G. M. & T. company's property, notice was filed today with the county clerk in which the Doctor-Jack Pot company's rights are defined. The notice states that the Doctor-Jack Pot Cons. M. company holds a lease for 18 months from December 13, 1901, upon the Mountain Monarch lode, survey No. 8513, the North Star lode No. 8358 and the Gold Standard Tunnel & Tunnel Site. The company also holds an option to purchase this ground, good until April 13, 1903. The notice further states that said lease and option was derived as follows: An original lease and option to purchase granted by the Roxanna G. M. & T. Co. to W. P. Dunham; a lease and option to purchase from W. P. Dunham to James G. Berryhill; an assignment from J. G. Berryhill to A. E. Carlton and an assignment from Mr. Carlton to the Doctor-Jack Pot Cons. Mining company.

George Brooks, colored, charged with assault with intent to kill his wife, was on trial in the district court today. The case went to the jury at 9:30 o'clock tonight and as yet no verdict has been rendered. Brooks, it is alleged, on November 11 struck his wife on the back of the head, inflicting a severe wound. The state prosecuted the case with vigor and the prisoner was ably defended by Attorney Vanatta. At 10 o'clock tonight the jury brought in a verdict of guilty.

Considerable excitement prevailed in the circle of telephone girls last night in this city when it was learned that Miss May Molineux had eloped with Louis Knocke, a popular business man of this city. Miss Molineux has just passed her eighteenth birthday and after the happy pair had had the connubial knot tied by Justice of the Peace McCullah, they returned to the telephone office long enough to invite the girls to call on them after their honeymoon trip. They then left for Colorado Springs, where they will remain for a few days. They will make their home in this city. Miss Molineux lived with her mother and sister at 405 East Carr street and was very popular in the young set. Both of the contracting parties have a host of friends in this city. The girl's parents were not apprised of the marriage until after the ceremony had been performed.

An adverse suit entitled George McKenzie and T. L. Tremayne vs. J. R. Adams and P. D. Ryan was filed in the district court today. In the suit the Fanny lode adverses the Last Dollar, Nos. 2 and 3 lodes. Besides the ground in conflict the plaintiffs will ask for $415 damages.

P. W. Jefferson was granted a divorce today from Martha Jefferson upon the ground of extreme cruelty. The divorce was granted in the county court. The couple were married in Kansas City November 18, 1895.

A tax deed given by the county treasurer was set aside by a jury in the county court today. The verdict was rendered for the plaintiff in the case of Josie A. Wilkins vs. J. C. Ruppenthall, Zoe L. Sutton and N. B. Wallace.

Location certificates were filed with the county clerk today as follows: By A. Berry of El Paso county for the Vendetta, Sally Cairo, Sally Moore, Atalanta, Elba, Alabama, Pensacola and Tuscumbia lodes; by N. R. Hull for the Marietta lode; by A. S. Pittney for the A. S. P. and Chicago lodes; by William J. Ree for the Roosevelt and by Joseph Prescott et al. for the DeWitt Nos. 1, 2 and 3 lodes. The territory located is in the Cripple Creek mining district.

James Riley of Victor was arrested today upon the charge of riotous disturbance. Riley is alleged to be one of the men who assaulted members of the Law and Order league a few nights ago. The preliminary hearing of the men under arrest will take place on Thursday afternoon in Justice Harrington's court.

The Baptists of the district held reunion services this afternoon and evening at the Baptist church on Carr avenue. The services were given for the purpose of securing better acquaintance among the Baptist church members of the camp and were a success in every way.

Sheriff Robertson has issued a sheriff's deed to Thomas Chellew for lot 28, block 26, and the east 75 feet of lot 3 in block 2, Victor. This property was recently sold to satisfy a judgment of $332.

Maggie Grogan was today appointed the administrator of the estate of the late Andrew Grogan. The appointment was made by County Judge Frost and the bonds were fixed at $400. Mrs. Grogan is the widow of the deceased.

Three more alleged ore thieves have been released from the county jail. Upon the conviction of Fred Barber depended the conviction of these three men. Barber was found not guilty recently in the district court and now the cases against Charles Nevins, Charles Powers and Ed Maynard have been nolle prossed and the men given their liberty. They have been in jail for the last two months.

Frank A. Smith has given a deed to Margaret Brown for lots 13, 14 and 15, in block 9, Hayden Placer sub-division to Hayden Placer, Cripple Creek. The consideration as shown in the deed is nominal.

Oscar Lamoman, the well-known undertaker, has purchased a ranch two miles from Mount Rosa and will make it his home in the future.

District Attorney Trowbridge returned to Cripple Creek this evening from Colorado Springs where he spent the day. Mr. Trowbridge had in his possession Gustav Krause's report of the finances of Colorado Springs. He states that he intends to study the report for the purpose of finding out what evidence there is against ex-Treasurer Hale of Colorado Springs.

Mrs. I. J. Woodworth, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Warren and Edward Woodworth of Colorado Springs, together with Mr. and Mrs. Toll of Wisconsin, made a party who visited the district today.

T. J. Moynahan returned today from a trip to Salt Lake City and the oil fields of Boulder and Debeque.

E. C. Stimson, the well-known attorney, is in the city on legal business from his home in Colorado Springs.

County Assessor George N. Lysight has returned from Los Angeles, Calif., where he took Mrs. Lysight for her health.

Mrs. Douglas Gray and son have arrived home from an extended visit in El Paso, Texas.

Out of town arrivals at the National hotel today were: H. H. Barbee, E. J. Ulrich, Mrs. William Powell, G. M. Carter of Colorado Springs; N. D. Mayho, A. Frierman, W. M. Goddard, John E. Neville and wife, A. D. Piver, Sam Goss, Dunlap John and John J. Slavin of Denver; J. R. Pucson and M. A. Campbell of St. Louis; A. McCarney of New York; J. T. Nie and C. J. Sheafor of Pittsburg; W. G. Fraser of Pueblo; Mr. and Mrs. E. Hamegner of St. Paul; Joseph Furst of Cincinnati; N. Z. Lee of Gilt Edge, Mont.; J. E. Devine of St. Joseph; R. N. Miller of Sioux City, Iowa; R. J. McNeal of Topeka, Mo.; R. B. Reading of Philadelphia, and C. B. Rhoades and J. H. Temple of Kansas City.

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FLORENCE

Union Coal Miners Object to Presence of Japanese and Trouble Is Threatened.

Special to the Gazette.

Florence, Feb. 11.—As a result of the importation of 32 Japs from the west for working in the Chandler Creek coal mines, 175 union coal miners employed at Chandler were idle today. This action was decided upon at a mass meeting of miners held immediately after the arrival of the Japs in the camp last night. The meeting was largely attended and was not dismissed until nearly 2 o'clock this morning. At this meeting it was voted that every white miner in the county be called upon to assist the Chandler miners in their approaching battle, and to this end notices were posted by the United Mine Workers union at the entrance of all the mines today, calling for a general mass meeting at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. By telephone communication tonight with Rockvale it was learned that the miners there have decided not to lay the mine idle and in this event the general mass meeting will not be held until Sunday. The miners have heard that 75 more Japs have been ordered for Chandler mines and that they believe if the present shipment is allowed to remain it will only be a matter of a few months before the company will attempt to cut the present wage scale. It is quiet evident that the miners were taken completely by surprise by the importation of the Japanese. The new arrangement affects 1,300 miners, the most of these are Italians. At last night's meeting it was the desire of the Italians to instantly deport the new arrivals, and had it not been for the efforts of one or two of the most conservative miners, a raid would probably have been made on the camp. An unconfirmed report tonight says that there are several deputies on the ground.

A local supply house today shipped a carload of drilling tools each to the Consolidated Oil company of Boulder, Alix Oil company of Ft. Collins, Western Slope Oil company of Grand Junction and the Fountain Oil company which will drill for oil on Fountain creek.

The Florence Consolidated Oil company which was recently formed will at once proceed to build its derrick west of the city on the Walter's ranch, the material being nearly all on the ground. On this ground is located one producing well and the site of the new derrick is about 500 feet southwest of this. In a short time the company intends drilling on the Wasmuth ranch south of the city. A well was drilled on this ground some time ago by other parties and there is 1,300 feet of oil now standing in the well.

Experts now claim that the Florence oil basin extends to the hills just west of Canon City. The first oil discovered in the state was in a spring near Canon. A number of experienced oil men are on the ground. There will be quite a little interest awakened in that section in a few weeks.

SUMMARY OF THE SPEECH OF SPEAKER MONTGOMERY

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The see-saw of attempting to decrease taxation by the two assessing powers has done more to drive capital away from our state than anything else. Let's tell the world the truth about our values. Let's assess all the property at its true cash value and lower our mill levy. I believe with this kind of an investment we could do with a two mill levy for state purposes. We can never secure a fair valuation with two assessing powers and to me the assessors are the only persons that we can constitutionally confer these powers upon. Under the assessment by the state board of equalization, politics became a financial affair and I remember when 22 and 25 bills dictated the election. This mode of assessment gave us the 'Robber Seventh' assembly which issued over three-quarters of a million dollars worth of warrants, some of which were held to be void, but I want to say to you, Mr. Chairman, that the credit of this state demands that the last one of our debts shall be paid.

"In order to have a fair assessment we must only have one assessing power and not two. The moment you have conferred this power upon two bodies, you have conflicts and turmoil. The principle of one assessing power is based on the motto of equal rights to all and special privileges to none.

"During the contest last winter in the closing hours of the session, this proposition of 13 assessors slipped in. I firmly believe that idea originated down town among the representatives of the corporations. I never believed that the 13 assessors was constitutional, but our time was too short at that time to discuss and consider the proposition. There are just two ways of determining the value of property. One is by way of the dividends it pays, the other is according to its market value. The value of a railroad should be reached by means of its earning capacity. Two iron rails and some cross ties are worth practically nothing without the terminal facilities, neither are the terminal facilities valuable unless we have the two rails and ties. We require the railroads to furnish the auditor with a complete statement of their resources, and is there any law to prevent the assessors from gathering together and discussing these values? After they have discussed these values and arrived at the value of the intangible property, is not each assessor entitled to that portion of the intangible value as the number of miles in his county compares with the total mileage of the road? If the track is practically valueless without the terminal facilities, and the terminal facilities are practically valueless without the tracks, does not the total value of both represent the total value of the road and should not the intangible value be distributed as I have previously outlined, and if it should not the tracks in each county worth the amount [illegible], and has not the assessors the [illegible] to assess it at such a value?

"This revenue law is not being made for today, it is being made for all time, and it is our duty to arise to the occasion and follow the dictates of our conscience which says: 'Do what is right,' and in doing that we will confer this assessing power upon the only constitutional persons provided, which is the several county assessors."

After the [illegible] [illegible] he was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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awaiting for the house to complete its work on the revenue bill so that it can act on the same. Attorney-General Post will tomorrow render an opinion to the senate in which he will hold that a constitutional amendment which has been submitted to the people cannot be rescinded. If this holding prevails, it will be impossible to adopt another amendment for a tax commission, railroad commission, state board of assessors or anything else. Senator Meyer of the 24th senatorial district, has sent Governor Orman his resignation as a member of the assembly to take effect at once. He has not attended the extra session.

MONUMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Swisher and children of Colorado Springs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ayres.

Mr. Richardson who has been stopping at Dr. Rupp's for several months, has gone to the southern part of the state for an extended visit with friends.

Mrs. McConnell and daughter, Frances, visited with relatives in Colorado Springs last week.

Cleve Nowe and Sidney Snooks, two boys of about 16 years of age whose parents live near Table Rock decided to hunt a new location and accordingly left for parts unknown last Sunday. So far their parents have not heard from them.

Miss Nannie Roberts visited with friends in Colorado Springs last week. [illegible] Simpson stayed with Mrs. Roberts while she was away.

Mr. Conrad returned from his visit in Missouri better satisfied with Colorado than ever. He is again with the D. & R. G. bridge gang. Mrs. Conrad contemplates returning soon.

Messrs. Hanks and Doyle have completed their ice contract with the D. & R. G. which called for over 150 car loads. They are now at work filling their large ice house at the reservoir.

Louis Kirby spent the week in Denver.

George Dalton moved his family into part of the house now occupied by Frank Kirby the first of the week.

Josiah Guire drove to Colorado Springs Sunday.

Mr. Hugh Schubarth shipped a car of wood to the Summit Fuel and Feed company, Denver, Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Bell lost a fine milch cow the last of the week.

The D. & R. G. bridge gang are here repairing some of the bridges.

Guy Schubarth has returned from West Creek where he went to work.

A letter from Mr. A. A. Bean, who went from here to Lacomb, N. W. T., Canada, last summer that the family are all well and like the country there very much. They had good crops and corresponding prices. Mr. Bean and Fred each took homesteads and were at work building on them.

Treat Baxter and the son of Colorado Springs spent Sunday with relatives in Monument.

Wm. Roberts, who has been in Utah, for the past 10 years, came home last week for a visit with his mother and relatives.

Mrs. J. R. Holloway was called to Pueblo Saturday to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. James Ayres. Rev. Wm. Boyle the former pastor here, conducted the services. Mrs. Holloway returned Monday.

W. B. Walker and Prof. Nelson made a trip to Colorado Springs Saturday.

Mrs. Munger of Palmer Lake has been visiting her son, Harry, and family in Canon City.

The Woman's association will meet at the home of Mrs. Myers Thursday afternoon. A full attendance is desired.

There will be a valentine postoffice at the school house Friday afternoon.

Mr. Jerome Babcock has rented his ranch and dairy to Mr. Chas. [illegible]nger. Mr. Babcock will move his family to a lower altitude for the benefit of his wife's health.

Mr. O. P. Jackson of Pring and Mr. R. D. Dribble are both serving on the jury at Colorado Springs. Mr. Dribble spent Sunday at home.

There was a flag raising at the school house on Lincoln's birthday. Prof. Nelson wishes to thank Mesdames Mercer, Younger, Elliott and Miss Stone for making the flag.

Mrs. Rupp entertained delightfully at a tea Friday afternoon. The guests were Mesdames Gittings, Bell, Sailor, Curry, Lamar, Weaver, Peterson, Myers, Fletcher, Bennett.

Mrs. Munson received a telephone message Sunday morning that Mrs. William Lowney, formerly of Monument, but now of Denver, was found dead in her room. None of the particulars were given. Mrs. Lowney was a pioneer of the divide and her sudden death will be a shock to her many friends here. Mrs. Munson left over the Santa Fe for Denver.

Mrs. Elliott was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening. Mrs. Cobb of Victor came Sunday evening to be at her mother's bedside.

Mr. Hanks of Palmer Lake, father of T. A. Hanks, has been quite ill with la grippe.

Mr. C. D. Ford has been reappointed as and receiver. Mr. Ford was formerly one of Monument's best citizens and the people here have every reason to feel proud of him.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Galley are visiting at the home of their brother, Mr. Wesley Galley of Arvada.

Mr. C. S. Gibbs of Pring, spent a few days last week with his sister at La Junta.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Galley, formerly of Monument, but now of Arvada, a son.

Mr. A. F. Woodward of Colorado Springs, was looking after his ranch here Monday.

Little Alice Curry spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Lamar and little daughter at Greenland.

DELTA'S [illegible]

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LIVINGSTON'S NEW CHAMPION.

The Statesman of a Hundred Years Ago Has a Staunch Friend in Congressman Alexander.

In the house of representatives the other day the members were discussing the Louisiana Purchase exposition. The frequent references to the great work of President Jefferson in making the Louisiana purchase finally roused Representative D. S. Alexander of New York to make a protest against placing this fine piece of diplomatic engineering to the credit of the Virginian. He belonged to New York, he said, and he intended to see that his state got the credit of it. He presented that before the exposition was over there would be so much discussion of this matter that a story would place the credit where it belonged, and give it to New York.

"This exposition," declared the New York congressman, "will bring into view the magnificent work of a magnificent New Yorker, Robert R. Livingston, the ambassador to Paris at the time of the purchase was made. The proposition was made by Napoleon or his minister to Mr. Livingston, who at once grasped at the chance of making the purchase. When he reported it to Thomas Jefferson, Mr. Jefferson replied that we had no constitutional authority to make that purchase. Mr. Livingston, however, completed it, and then, while President Jefferson was sending out word to his friends in the United States senate that it was beyond our constitutional power to make the purchase and that they should look askance upon the proposition, Robert R. Livingston sent a confidential note to the president stating that unless the purchase was ratified at once Napoleon would change his mind.

"And then President Jefferson wrote to his friends in the senate saying, 'Say nothing about the constitutionality of the purchase, but confirm the treaty.' That is the story that will be brought out in golden letters from the Golden Gate to Maine, that this country may see that the man behind the throne, the man with the nerve and the power to make that purchase, was not Thomas Jefferson, the strict constructionist of the Constitution, but that it was Robert R. Livingston, one of the greatest and most noted of New York's famous statesmen."

Mr. Alexander added that he did not wish to take from Jefferson's laurels, "but," he added, "I believe that the time has come when America should recognize the fact that the man to whom we owe the honor and the debt and the gratitude of making that purchase was Robert R. Livingston of New York, and not Thomas Jefferson of Virginia."

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THE PEOPLE AND THE FRANCHISES

Telephone Measures and Proposed Refunding of City Bonds May Necessitate a Special Election.

It is quite probable a special election will be called some time next spring for the purpose of voting on the telephone franchise now pending before the city council. At the same election the matter of refunding outstanding city bonds that are optional will be presented to the people.

Another petition for a telephone franchise was submitted to the council last night and the matter passed for the present. Later it will be referred to the committee having the other franchises in hand. The petition was presented in a communication from Dr Emile Dorn of Chicago. In his application and the draft of an ordinance which were presented he agrees to establish a telephone system in the city and to maintain the same for a period of [illegible] years. The rate fixed for business telephones is not to exceed $[illegible] while for residences the rate named is half that amount.

When the matter was called up Alderman Clark said that it would be necessary to present the franchises to the people and let them decide whether or not there should be one or more additional telephone companies in the city or not. There are now four franchises for telephone systems in this city pending before the council, that of W. C. Robinson having been withdrawn.

The question of a special election to decide the matter will be brought up at another meeting of the council. The opinion of City Attorney Sheafor was asked in the matter and he stated that any matters which the council wished to present to the people could come at that time. He saw no necessity for holding more than one election to decide all matters. The question of the legality of such an election was brought up by Alderman Clark.

In the matter of refunding bonds it is proposed to refund sewer bonds to the amount of $[illegible],000 water bonds to the amount of $46,000 and bridge bonds to the amount of $1[illegible],000. In case these bonds are refunded the expenses of the street, sewer and bridge department would be considerably lessened. Arrangements have been made for a sinking fund of $[illegible],000 and this amount could be cut out of the appropriations in the sewer department if new bonds are issued in place of those outstanding. The outstanding bonds draw six per cent while they could perhaps be refunded at four or four and one half per cent. These figures are in accordance with the suggestions made by the sewer committee.

Denver Will Keep Him Until His Beard Grows

John Mohanski the forbidding-looking Russian who has been detained in the county jail on suspicion of being the murderer of Harold Fridborn and the assailant of Florence Fridborn in Denver, was taken to Denver last night. Detective Harris, of that city, came down for the prisoner and the two went to Denver on train No. 4 on the Rio Grande.

After Mohanski was arrested his photograph was taken and sent to Denver. Florence Fridborn said the picture looked like that of the murderer. Mohanski had a beard when the picture was taken but it was shaved off afterwards and the Denver police said last night that owing to that fact it will practically be impossible for the girl to identify him if he is the murderer.

Florence Fridborn will see the prisoner today, and if she thinks he looks like the murderer Mohanski will be kept in jail in Denver until his beard grows again and then Miss Fridborn will take another look at him.

Ben Daniels on His Own Record

A Colorado Springs newspaper man who returned yesterday from a trip down the valley of the Arkansas river, reports that Ben Daniels, the famous "bad man" officer of the [illegible] rough rider and now appointee to the United States marshalship of Arizona, was a passenger on the Santa Fe yesterday from Lamar to La Junta. Daniels being en route from Ottawa, Kas., to Phoenix, where he expects to qualify within a few days for the duties of the office to which the president has appointed him and that he talked freely and interestingly of the charges that have delayed his qualifying under the appointment.

Three general charges have been made against Daniels as a result of which the president has directed that his commission be withheld temporarily. The appointee has been charged with having killed a man, with having been a convict in Wyoming and with having been the proprietor of a saloon.

He does not make any denial except as to the second charge. He says that he was never a convict. As for his having killed a man he says that at Garden City Kas., 5 years ago he did take a man's life but that he stood trial for the deed and was acquitted. Eight years ago, he said, there was a big fight on in western Kansas over the location of a county seat. In the settlement of the controversy it was necessary that shooting take place. A force of deputies of which Daniels was a member being ordered to shoot, he, among others fired and a man was killed. It was always charged by the rest of the deputies that Daniels fired the fatal shot but he says he doesn't see how he could have done it as he was using a six shooter and the man was killed with buck shot.

As to his having been proprietor of a saloon he said that he did run a saloon once in Lamar, Colo., but that it was a first class place.

He talked interestingly of his appointment by Roosevelt. He said that he went to Washington a few months ago to apply for it and that when he appeared at the White house the president was entertaining a number of senators and congressmen. He says that when he entered, however, the president saw him and called him 'Ben,' and asked what he could do for him. Daniels stated his business and was told that the matter would be considered fully.

He says that he believes he is capable of fulfilling the duties of the office properly if he is given a chance and that he expects to qualify within a day or two. He says he realizes fully that he has the reputation of being a "bad man," and that he may deserve it, but that most of the people he will have to deal with in his capacity as United States marshal need just such a person as he for they themselves are of the same kind.

The press dispatches have reported for a day or two that Daniels could not be located. He has been spending some time visiting sisters on a farm near Ottawa, Kansas.

DANIELS' COMMISSION.

By Associated Press.

Phoenix, Ariz., Feb 10.—The commission of Benjamin Daniels, twice confirmed by the United States senate to be United States marshal of Arizona, which had been forwarded to Chief Justice Webster Street at Phoenix for delivery to Daniels, was today mailed back to Washington by Justice Street, in accordance with the request of the president.

$1.25 Novelty Goods 69c yard at New York Cash store's Surplus Stock sale.

SUPERINTENDENTS UNION—Regular monthly meeting of the Sunday School Superintendents union this evening at 7.30 in the First Christian church. Subject for discussion "The Management of a Sunday School" First, its equipment second, the program, third the officers, fourth the teachers, fifth, the scholars, sixth, the finances. All Sunday school superintendents assistants and department superintendents are earnestly requested to be present. We hope to have with us Mr Spencer president of the Denver Sunday School union. A full attendance desired.

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ONE WOMAN'S ADVICE TO ANOTHER.

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BOSTON, Jan. 13, 1902.

TO THE SUFFERING PUBLIC: It is with a feeling of extreme gratitude and thankfulness and a humane desire to benefit others that I write out my own experience in the use of Prof. Edward E. Phelps' wonderful preparation, called "Paine's Celery Compound." Owing to a fall from a horse several years ago, I became a nervous invalid, and last year I entered a hospital as a patient, where I was operated on by a famous New York surgeon.

The surgical operation was successful, but nervous prostration followed. A summer in Newport, with the best medical attendance, failed to restore my nerves to their normal condition. I was also utterly unable to digest any solid food, and this weak condition of my digestive organs, combined with insomnia, caused the deepest depression. A constant tenderness and soreness in the region of my stomach, with a dull headache and extreme weakness, created a feeling of hopelessness, from which I was unable to rise.

It was in this melancholy frame of mind that I chanced to meet a Boston lawyer, who said to me, "I was in a most [illegible] condition that you are now in, and after spending hundreds of dollars without receiving any benefit I was induced by a friend to give Paine's Celery Compound a trial, which I did, and it cured me completely when everything else had failed."

I was rather skeptical about trying a prepared medicine, but I ordered a bottle from my druggist and began to take it according to directions. Much to my surprise I slept soundly at night and did not wake in the morning with the usual dull headache. Then, too, I developed an appetite for solid food and soon I was able to digest a course dinner without any unpleasant sensations. I am now completely restored to health after about two months' use of the Compound. Sympathising deeply with all who may be suffering as I did, I take this method of reaching strangers, after writing personal letters to my particular friends.

With the sincere hope that others may be benefited as I have been by the use of Paine's Celery Compound, I am

Very truly yours,

362 Newbury St. MRS. FRANCES L. [illegible].

City Pays Premium on Big Bond for Voorhees

The bond of John Vorhees, newly-elected city treasurer was last night fixed at $100,000, but the city will pay the premium amounting to $266.50. Bids for the bond were submitted to the council but no action will be taken until tonight. All are for the same amount there being but three surety companies represented in the city and all of them agreeing on the premium.

The finance committee was instructed to investigate the matter and report at tonight's meeting of the council when the contract for the bond will be let. Mr Voorhees was present at the council and said that he could not afford to pay the premium on the bond. Investigation showed that the city had fixed the bond of Moses T. Hale at $75,000 and that a resolution had been passed by the council at the time providing that the council pay the premium. The action last night was in accordance with the resolution.

Mr Voorhees will be sworn in and enter upon the duties of his office immediately after the bond question is settled tonight. He expects to enter the office Wednesday. He informed the members of the council that he was ready to assume the duties of the office at any time and it was generally understood that he should begin work as soon as the bond was arranged.

City Paid Krause Bill for January

The bill of Gustave Krause for $325.90 for services as expert during the month of January was presented by the finance committee and called forth a lengthy discussion in which Chairman Clark took occasion to state his position with reference to the supplementary report submitted by Mr Krause.

Before the discussion began the bill was cut down $8 the amount being for extra time while in conference with the finance committee. Alderman Clark made the announcement that Mr Krause had charged $2 an hour for the extra time and that he was opposed to paying the amount. It was finally agreed to pay him $317.90 and a warrant for that amount was ordered drawn on the contingent fund.

Relative to the supplementary report Alderman Clark said he had not seen the report until published. It was not given out by him, he said, and he did not now consider it a part of the report. He said he had made no effort to suppress anything and took occasion to mildly score Mr. Krause for his action in the matter.

Alderman Patton stated that he had ordered the envelop containing the report opened and had given it out for publication. The matter was then dropped.

"Quo Vadis" Was Richly Mounted

An elaborate production of "Quo Vadis" was presented at the Opera house last night to a good audience, and, judging from the attention which was accorded the piece and the applause, which punctuated the climaxes, the religious melodrama pleased the audience well. It certainly was richly mounted, the six acts giving a series of flowing pictures with classic settings and flowing purple.

But of all hopelessly dull plays this surely requires a place in the [illegible] of the list. For a time, when Nero first appeared and sang and [illegible], it seemed as if the play might make an excellent comic opera. Nero himself would have been lovable if he had been played by Jeff De Angelis, and there were one or two other characters who would have made a musical extravaganza [illegible]. But it grew serious at once, settling into a dead level of monotony, with endless [illegible]. Every man in the cast was hoarse from shouting, and the precious business was kept up until 11.30 when the curtain was finally rung down.

There was not a trace of genuine feeling from beginning to end. Adolph Jackson as Petronius had a few clever lines fall to his lot and did by far the best work of the evening, but even then did not portray anything like the living Petronius of the book. The rest of the [illegible], mouthed and [illegible] so that [illegible] of them were lost, were [illegible] between [illegible] just as [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

beautiful women. As a melodrama of three souls, however, it would take all the combined religions of the universe to rescue it from its superstitive stupidity.

INTERESTING PROGRAM AT W. C. T. U. MEETING

The W. C. T. U. met Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs Day, No 1409 North Nevada avenue. An unusually entertaining program was carried out.

Reports were presented by Mrs Blake treasurer, and Mrs. Shimp, superintendent of rescue work. The entertainment program was in charge of Miss Brooks. A pantomime, "Nearer My God to Thee," was rendered by Miss Corinne Wallace and Miss Hughes played a piano solo. Miss Brooks read an interesting paper on the Emersonian theory of physical culture. Helen Hunt gave a pleasing recitation and Mrs Henderson sang a solo.

Refreshments were served and a social half hour was enjoyed.

ENTERTAINED PARTY OF YOUNG PEOPLE

Mr and Mrs David Flatt entertained a party of young folks at their home, No 221 East Bijou street, last night. Among those present were Misses Letha Nichols, Stella Bodell, Lillian Bodell, Nellie Johnson, Carrie Musdgrove, Guisa Redman, Alice Armstrong, Clara Polin, Mabel Flatt, Freda Falk, Chloe Nichols and Cora Allen, and Messrs Clark Nichols George Falk John Johnson Charles Oldfield, David Flatt, Henry Diver Max Polin and Lon Carnehan.

BROADMOOR BRUSH FIRE MAKES BIG SMOKE

A lot of brush about 100 yards south of the Broadmoor Casino caught fire yesterday afternoon. The flames burned for some time and the great clouds of smoke arising from the burning brush caused the rumor to be spread in Colorado Springs that the Casino was burning down. The fire did not come near enough to any buildings to cause serious apprehension.

AMUSEMENTS

BLANCHE WALSH IN "LA MADELEINE."

Blanche Walsh will present on next Thursday evening at the Opera house an original play in four acts by H. J. W. Dam. Mr Dam is a journalist of considerable repute and is particularly well known for his clever descriptions of the great Dreyfus trial which were published in many of the principal newspapers of the United States at the time of this sensational episode. Mr Dam has recently written a piece for Mrs Leslie Carter and another one for Amelia Bingham and several of his plays have been produced in England. He has been a resident of Paris for a number of years and has made a study of the fervid life and eccentric characters of the great hot house metropolis. In Miss Walsh's play which is entitled "La Madeleine," he has endeavored to incorporate some of the incidents which have come under his observation and to draw a few of the character types which have particularly appealed to him. The story of "La Madeleine" is it is said a rather pathetic one. It portrays the life of a reigning queen of the Parisian half-world who in her mad career at last experiences a genuine and pure love. The woman, with the superstitions of her class is dominated by a mock priest, known as Father Varel who persuades her that she can only obtain absolution for her sins by giving up the man she loves and saving him from allying himself with one who can never be anything but a disgrace to him. She does this at the cost of her life, for while the wedding of her lover is being celebrated at the chapel of the Virgin in St. Roch she takes poison and dies in the sanctified edifice. Mr. Dam in this play has endeavored to illustrate the triumph of the spiritual over the temporal and it is said that many of the incidents in the drama are taken from real life and may be recognized by those familiar with a recent affair in high life in Paris in which the orange blossoms of a fashionable wedding were brought in close relation to the flora tributes thrown on a dishonored grave at Pere La Chasse cemetery. The dramatic story is told in four elaborate stage pictures, which will be shown, it is promised, in all the perfection of the scene painter's art. The first act depicts the gardens of the Pavilion D'Armenonville, the second shows the garret in which La Madeleine lives after she renounces her sinful career; the third represents a rich apartment in the hotel of a wealthy Parisian and the fourth which is said to be the most impressive scene of the play, is a duplication of the Chapel of the Virgin at St. Roch. Miss Walsh will be supported by an excellent cast and a very large company of well known players.

BLACK PATTI'S TROUBADOURS.

A delightful feast of melody and mirth may be confidently anticipated at the performance of "Black Patti's Troubadours." This mammoth organization is credited with giving an entertainment which never fails of exciting genuine enthusiasm. There are 40 artists in the company and many of them have a reputation which is familiar to every city where there is a theater. Black Patti, the star of the combination has won fame and high lyric honors through the incomparable singing in every part of the civilized world.

Her recent tour of Europe was a continuous series of grand public ovations. It is said that no singer of the present generation attracted such immense throngs as those which attended her performance in St. Petersburg, Berlin, Paris, Vienna and London. In the latter city she not only received the tributes of the masses, but royalty paid her honor through King Edward VII when he was the prince of Wales, who bestowed upon her his distinguished patronage.

The repertoire of the Troubadours this season is entirely new and embodies the new laughing hit, "A Filipino Mis-Fit," with John Rucker, the Alabama Blossom, in the leading comedy role—ten great specialty acts and Black Patti in a new musical creation called "Songs of Dixie." They appear at the Opera house on next Saturday afternoon and evening.

JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

The fifth and next to the last number on the Lyceum course of this city will be given at the Temple theater next Wednesday evening by John Temple Graves of Atlanta, Ga. Since Mr Graves' third visit to the city little need be said in his behalf. For a number of years he has been one of the leading attractions in the American lyceums. He has few equals and no superiors. He has been exceptionally fortunate in his choice of subject and has treated the same in a manner [illegible] entertaining and instructive. His speeches ring with the true patriotic [illegible] of an interested citizen. He is no more [illegible] seeking to accumulate wealth [illegible] an honestly enthusiastic lover of liberty.

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BRIEF CITY ITEMS

CONVOCATION. Stated convocation of Royal Arch Masons at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

BORN—To Mr and Mrs W. H. Aitken 732 E. Platte avenue, February 10, a daughter.

LUNCHEON—About 30 society women were the guests at a luncheon given at the Antlers yesterday by Mrs Leslie J. Skelton.

AUXILIARY MEETING—The local auxiliary of the Colorado Holiness association met last night at the Swedish mission, on East Boulder street.

LADIES AID—The Ladies Aid society of the First M. E. church this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs C. A. Hibbard 320 E. Bijou street. All ladies are cordially invited.

BEGAN PRACTICE. The candidates for the college baseball team began practice on Washburn field yesterday afternoon. There are over a score of applicants for positions on the team.

SEALED VERDICT—The jury in the case of Buster against McDonald, which was tried in the county court yesterday, returned a sealed verdict last night. The verdict will be opened at 9 o'clock this morning.

DOUBLE TRACKS—The street railway company will begin soon the work of laying double tracks on Pikes Peak avenue west of Tejon street, and thence to Huerfano on Cascade avenue. The surveying was done yesterday.

QUARTERLY RECEPTION—The postponed quarterly reception of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church will be held this evening at the home of Mrs C. A. Hibbard, 320 E. Bijou street.

DIED—Frank Smith died Sunday at St Francis hospital of pneumonia. He was found ill in his cabin at Ivywild last Friday and was taken to the hospital on the orders of County Physician Richardson. He had no relatives or friends here as far as is known.

NEW MANAGER—Harry Alward, former deputy sheriff has been appointed manager of the Elks club to succeed Ed Monroe who resigned to go to the Boulder oil fields. Mr Monroe left yesterday for Boulder where he will represent the Oil Well Supply company which sells apparatus for the drilling of wells.

PRELIMINARY DEBATE—The preliminary debate at Colorado college will take place Friday night in Perkins hall. The speakers will argue individually on the question of the municipal ownership of street railways. Three debaters will be chosen from the candidates to represent the college in the debate with a team from the University of Nebraska.

SCHOOL OF PHILANTHROPY—The school of philanthropy will have a meeting this afternoon at 4.30 at the First Baptist church.

TOOK A TUMBLE—The breaking of a rope caused a heavy safe that was being moved into the offices of Mr Stratton to take a slide down the stairway of his building on Pike's Peak avenue yesterday. The stairway and entrance to the building suffered some damage.

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THE BUSY STORE

Where Sewers Will Be Built This Year

The sewer committee last night asked for an appropriation of $36,410, including a sinking fund of $15,000, which will not be necessary in case the outstanding optional bonds are not refunded.

The suggestions of the committee were adopted. It is proposed to distribute the amount as follows: Salary of sewer inspector $1,200 sewer maintenance $1,000 interest on sewer bonds $4,210, sinking fund, $15,000 sewer construction $15,000.

It is proposed to make the following extensions: Oak street lateral 2,000 feet, between Boulder and Platte avenue 1,500 feet south of Stillman street 400, between Willamette and St. Vrain 400, between Cimarron and Moreno 600 between Cimarron and Costilla 1,110, between Weber and Nevada 2,005, between Tejon and Nevada 1,000, between Walnut and Spruce 1,330 between Spruce and Pine 350, between Washington and Lincoln 1,500, between Lincoln and Park 1,000, William and Lincoln streets 600, between Wahsatch and Corona 1,600, along Prospect street to alley between Willamette and St. Vrain, thence east, 1,000 feet, and between Tejon and Cascade 700 feet.

For the engineer's department the following was adopted: Salary of engineer, $1,800, assistant engineer, $[illegible],200; instruments, $500, and maintenance, $2,500. This is an increase of $950 over last year. The additional expense is due to the purchase of additional instruments which is contemplated and in the maintenance.

The expense in the sewer department this year will be about 25 per cent. less than last year. This will be even less in case the proposed refunding of bonds is carried at the special election.

Big Damage Suit May Be Tried Today

The suit of Violett Jackson against the Newton Lumber company for $15,000 damages will probably be called for trial before Judge Cunningham in the district court today. Miss Jackson, whose father is one of the best known newspaper men in Colorado, was injured in a runaway accident in Manitou September 20 1898 and for a long time after the accident her life was despaired of.

The plaintiff alleges that she was driving along one of the streets in Manitou, when a heavy laden lumber wagon, belonging to the Newton Lumber company, was being driven down a steep hill. Owing to the fact that the team could not hold the wagon on the grade, the horses, according to the complaint, ran away, and the team struck the light trap driven by Miss Jackson. She was thrown out and seriously injured. The plaintiff alleges that the accident was due to the negligence of the employes of the lumber company.

Dr D. A. Johnson returned yesterday from Chicago and is staying at the Antlers with his bride. Dr Johnson having been married to Miss Harriet Vilas of Oak Park Ill., during his absence from this city.

Double your dollars at the New York Cash store's Surplus Stock sale.

SCHOOL OF ART AND DESIGN OPENS NEW TERM

The art department of Colorado college began its second term yesterday Monday, February 10. Mr Soutter, the director, will receive applicants in his studio, room 11, Perkins Fine Arts hall daily from 10 to 12.

The following course of study will be carried out during the term.

Schedule of Mr Soutter's classes

Monday a m.—Studies of expression—head life (Charcoal, pencil, oil, water color and pastel.)

Tuesday a m—(Same as Monday.)

Wednesday a m.—Still life (Paste, colored chalk, pencil, oil, water color, pen and ink.) Children's class 2:30-4 p m.

Thursday a m.—Character sketching. Costumed model (Pencil, charcoal wash, pen and ink water color, pastel.) Once a month, time sketching.

Friday a m.—The cast.

Saturday a m.—The cast. Also children's class (Pencil and charcoal, drawing from cast and still life. Also still life in colored chalk.)

Schedule of Mr Wald's class

Monday p m.—Commercial art—pen and ink and wash drawing for illustration.

Tuesday p m.—Historic ornament (Later—original designing.)

Wednesday p m.—Perspective.

Thursday p m.—Commercial art.

Friday a m.—Mechanical drawing.

Friday p m.—Designing.

Saturday a m.—Mechanical drawing.

A. morning classes begin at 9.30.

A. afternoon classes at 2.

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THE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE meeting of the horticultural society held last evening was undoubtedly the most important in the history of that organization. A very interesting report was made of the work accomplished in the past year, showing that this association has fully demonstrated its right to a place among the permanent institutions of the county.

But by far the most important part of the proceedings was the announcement that the society had received from General Palmer a conditional offer of a tract of land which may be made the basis for a horticultural garden that in the future will become a most attractive addition to the general park system of Colorado Springs.

Such a gift for such a purpose is one that ought to be greatly appreciated by the people of Colorado Springs and there should be no hesitation in complying with the requirements of the offer. We understand that Mr. Giddings and other generous citizens have interested themselves in seeing that the necessary improvements are made, so that the project appears to be in a fair way of success.

This new horticultural garden is in itself a great accomplishment for the Horticultural society, but it also reports that it has given effective aid in securing the transfer of the Manitou boulevard from private ownership to a board of trustees acting for the people, and that in other ways it has contributed to make the surroundings of Colorado Springs more attractive and more easily accessible.

The society and its officers are certainly to be congratulated upon the success of their work, and we trust that each succeeding year may show equal progress for the benefit of the community.

THE GROWTH OF SMALL TOWNS.

THE census bureau recently issued a statement in regard to the increase of population of places of less than 4,000 inhabitants, and also of the counties which have decreased in population.

The increase in population in the states east of the Mississippi river was 18.7 between 1880 and 1890, and 19.2 between 1890 and 1900. In the same area the increase in urban population, meaning thereby all places of more than 4,000 inhabitants, was 53.3 per cent. between 1880 and 1890, and only 37.2 per cent. between 1890 and 1900. Both of these statements could not be true unless the population of places having less than 4,000 inhabitants had been growing more rapidly in the last 10 years than in the preceding decade. Such is the fact. Between 1880 and 1890 the population east of the Mississippi, and excluding places of more than 4,000, increased 4.9 per cent., but between 1890 and 1900, 8.7 per cent. Between 1880 and 1890 the counties east of the Mississippi which lost population extended over an area of 151,202 square miles. This was about one-sixth (17.7 per cent.) of the total area east of the Mississippi river. Between 1890 and 1900 the counties east of the Mississippi river which lost population extended over an area of 90,918 square miles. This is only about one-tenth (10.6 per cent.) of the total area east of the Mississippi. The figures show that this part of the country lost population between 1880 and 1890, but gained between 1890 and 1900.

West of the Mississippi the changes were in the reverse direction, that is the area losing population was slightly larger between 1890 and 1900 than it was between 1880 and 1890 (234,862 square miles as compared with 206,958 square miles.) But in the country as a whole the area of counties losing population was over 30,000 square miles less in the last decade than it was between 1880 and 1890. A gain of population in the last decade was reported from every county of Minnesota and North Dakota, and every county but one of Iowa. In South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas, on the contrary, there were large areas, mostly in the western part and sparsely settled, for which a decrease of population was reported. The tide of migration in 1890 had pushed up the slopes of the great plains further than conditions warranted, and in the last decade the wave has been receding, depleting these areas and filling up the rural counties of such states as Iowa and Illinois. In Iowa the per cent. of area losing population fell from 27.0 between 1880 and 1890 to 1.6 between 1890 and 1900, in Illinois it fell from 28.6 to 4.6. In other words, over about a quarter of each state the population decreased between 1880 and 1890 only to increase in the last 10 years. In no other states has there been so marked a change.

The statement is a very interesting one, and worthy of more than passing attention.

Some eastern free trade papers are inclined to crow because sugar from the Danish West Indies will be admitted free of duty if the treaty of annexation is ratified. We can stand that much competition from fellow Americans without serious danger, but we do object to paying the nation's debt to Cuba out of the pockets of western sugar beet growers, while the Cubans refuse to come in and share the responsibilities of the national partnership.

We notice a paragraph going the rounds to the effect that Prince Henry of Prussia will honor Lincoln by laying a wreath upon his tomb at Springfield. This is a mistake. Prince Henry will honor himself by a recognition of one of the greatest and best men that ever lived, not only in America, but in all the world.

SOME GOOD POINTERS.

IN FIGURING on the future business prospects of this city some consideration should be paid to those large enterprises which are now in course of construction and which when completed will have a most important influence upon this city and its people.

Among such enterprises may be mentioned the Telluride Reduction works, the new Portland mill, the deep well that is being sunk in connection with the latter, and the new street car system. All these are projects of great importance and all have a direct bearing upon the business situation in this city. Besides these there is the coal field northeast of the city that is being rapidly developed, the benefits of which are only just beginning to make themselves apparent.

Along a somewhat different line, but also having a direct relation to the future growth and welfare of this city are the enterprises that tend towards the improvement of the city's attractiveness for residents and visitors. In this department of city affairs also there is a condition that has not been surpassed at any previous time, if indeed it has ever before been equaled. The rapid transit improvements deserve a place in this category not less than in the other. Then there is the new Cheyenne park which Mr. Stratton is developing at the end of the car line, the great improvements at Prospect lake which are promised for the coming summer, and the magnificent new park at Austin Bluffs. The Colorado Springs Chautauqua will hold its first session next summer, the long cherished plan for a first-class modern sanitarium now appears to be in a fair way to be realized, the Cumberland Presbyterian church is planning a notable addition to our educational institutions, and Colorado college, keeping in the front rank of progress as usual, is building a new science hall that will add greatly to its possibilities of usefulness and to the number of students.

All these things are signs of the times that must impress every fair-minded observer. They indicate that Colorado Springs has abundant reason to expect a rapid growth in the coming months and a continuance of that prosperity which has been measured out to us so liberally in the past.

VICTORY IN THE PHILIPPINES.

"THE AMERICAN ARMY in the Philippines," said a Republican senator the other day, "will never return until it returns victorious." The sentiment is a good one, as far as it goes, but it falls short of the real purpose and object of the American occupation of the Philippines.

If we were to believe the assertions of the anti-imperialists the American army in the Philippines is there for the purpose of crushing out the native aspirations toward independence, and establishing American supremacy there by force of arms. Such a statement is so biased and one-sided that it differs but little from actual falsehood.

The purpose of the American nation towards the Philippines is to establish liberty and the largest amount of self-government possible.

The foolish and unwarranted resistance of a part of the people has increased the difficulties of the task immensely, and has left the American government no alternative but to defend its authority by force of arms and to resist all attempts by individuals or associations to arrogate to themselves the right to speak for or in the name of the Filipino people.

But with armed resistance crushed and law and order re-established throughout the islands, the task of the Americans is only begun. We will have broken down the chief obstacles in our way; but our work is unaccomplished. What we intended to do in the beginning, what we were prevented from doing by the insensate outbreak of the Filipino chieftains, what we have been trying to do wherever the work could be undertaken amid the interruptions of war—that is the task which must command our efforts.

The public school, the independent newspaper, the religion that is free from the abuses that have been so notorious in these islands, the training of local elections where a free ballot and a fair count are enforced by a superior authority, are among the agents by which our task is to be accomplished, and not until those have done their work, not until the Filipinos are indeed a free people in spirit, and capable of maintaining for themselves a free government—whether or not that government be established apart from American sovereignty—will American victory be won in the islands.

THE CHINESE NEW YEAR.

WE ARE INDEBTED to his excellency, Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister at Washington, for the knowledge that the Chinese in the United States celebrate their New Year day 24 hours ahead of time.

Mr. Wu explains that his ignorant fellow citizens who first crossed the ocean did not know anything about missing a day on crossing the 180th meridian, and that the Chinese who have come over since know no more than the first ones, and so New Year day continues to be celebrated ahead of time.

Minister Wu in connection with this information indulges in some very uncomplimentary references to the class of Chinese who make up the bulk of that nation's representation in the United States. It is rather surprising therefore, that the minister should be opposed to the restriction of immigration. One would almost suppose that he would desire to have the Chinese kept out of this country for the credit of the Chinese.

The entertainment to be provided at the Metropolitan opera house for Prince Henry of Prussia certainly deserves the title of a gorgeous performance.

"The first act of "Lohengrin," the second act of "Carmen," the third act of "Aida," the second act of "Tannhauser," the first act of "La Traviata," and the third scene of "Il Cid," each of these prima donnas and all of the great tenors of the Metropolitan company will take part; tickets from $5 to $40.

That doesn't bar the prince, nothing will, but—

Is it art?

The Brooklyn doctor who recently offered himself as a subject for vivisection now explains that he didn't really mean it. Apparently it is a case where second thoughts are better and safer.

Chairman Jones of Arkansas has selected imperialism as the main issue for 1904. All right, Jones, any issue you may select will be entirely satisfactory to the Republican party.

The Colorado City Iris is now running a regular department under the heading "Colorado City Weekly Iris, C. R. Nerve, manager." Nevertheless it is a good thing and takes a whole lot of bad out of the Iris.

It would be quite an achievement for the Colorado Springs police to capture the Fruitoora murderer. The man arrested here seems to answer the description better than any of those captured in Denver.

FROM THE STATE PRESS

War on Wolves.

Stockmen from Craig to Brown's Park have decided to wage a relentless war upon wolves and with that object in view have raised a large cash fund which is now on deposit in the Bank of Craig.

The bounty to be paid is $20 for each and every wolf killed in western Routt county. The stockmen have divided the range into districts and have assigned wolf hunters to each district and the bounty will be paid only to the hunters assigned by the stockmen interested. Men of experience in this line of work have been selected and they will devote their entire time to the extermination of wolves.

So far four districts have been created and four men have been appointed to slaughter wolves. As soon as suitable men can be secured about four more districts will be created. Those already appointed and their districts are as follows: C. Harper, Cedar Springs; Capt. Hardy, Douglas mountain; Adolph Anderson of Rifle, Lily Park; C. McCargar, L7 ranch on Snake river. Hunters will be appointed to cover the territory on Fortification creek, Blue gravel, Iron Springs divide, Lay creek, Big gulch and Brown's park.

The wolves have been creating great havoc among cattle during the past three years, but the depredations have been unusually heavy this fall and winter and the losses to the cattlemen are making serious inroads upon the industry.

The heaviest losses from wolves have been in the western end of the county and particularly in the vicinity of Douglas Springs. N. B. Sager, who has a bunch of the Hereford cattle on the Douglas Springs range, has sustained a loss of 32 head of cattle the past fall and winter. It is estimated that altogether the stockmen of Brown's park lost 85 head of cattle as the result of the ravages of wolves in the past three months.

The wolves usually confine their attacks to calves, yearlings and poor cows, but there is one instance known of a 4-year-old steer being killed by the ferocious brutes. This occurred a year ago on the ranch of the Templeton brothers in the Maybell valley. The steer, in some manner, had a sharp stick broken off in its foot and he was roped and the sliver taken out. That night the animal was attacked and killed by wolves. The steer was in prime condition and the injury it received from the snag had not affected it in the least.

It is quite likely that a bounty on wolves will be offered by the county at the next meeting of the commissioners. —(Craig Courier.

Trinidad is one of the best retail points in the state. In the first place this is a community of buyers. On any day in the week the stores are filled with customers. When there is a bargain sale it is difficult to make one's way through the stores. This shows that the people here have the money to obtain what they need and desire. You will observe as you go about the streets that the people are well-dressed and look comfortable. There is as little poverty in Trinidad as in any place of its size in the west. There is a steady demand for the necessities and luxuries of life from purchasers who are in a position to enjoy them.—(Trinidad Chronicle News.

It is still difficult even for western people to realize the rapid growth of the trade moving toward the west and the exports from the Pacific coast. Senator Hale asserted in congress yesterday that the trade of the orient does not amount to much, but anyhow vast amounts of American products of all sorts are being sold on the Asiatic side of the Pacific. For instance, grain shipments from the port of Portland during January promise to break all records. Up to date eighteen cargoes have cleared since the first of the year with 2,000,000 bushels of wheat (flour included.) During the remainder of the month probably half a dozen grain ships will clear, bringing the total shipments for January close to 2,500,000 bushels.—(Pueblo Chieftain.

The Advertiser is not endeavoring to precipitate a boom in Trinidad. In fact, it would not if it could, but it would again call the attention of the people with surplus cash that there is a demand for at least 100 new residences and several business blocks in this city at the present time. At least 100 new houses could be rented before they could be built.

As usual the ranchmen on the western slope are kicking because there is not enough snow to furnish water for irrigation. It has always been the case that when the snow fall was light in winter the spring and summer rains were heavier, so the farmers managed to pull through with plenty and some to spare.—(Florence Tribune.

Summitville will scarcely lie idle during the coming summer, and the knowing ones predict an early resumption of work this spring. Del Norte will reap a direct benefit from the Summitville pay roll.—(Del Norte Prospector.

Save Your Eyes.

If your eyesight is good, take care of it. Look away off yonder every time you get to the bottom of a page in reading. If it is defective, let no foolish pride prevent you from wearing the proper glasses. There is no sense in handicapping yourself in life when a piece of glass before each eye will make your vision as good as it possibly can be. The oculist will not advise you to wear glasses if you do not need them any more than he will prescribe a drug you do not need. Plenty of people, though, do not know that they have defective sight because they have never really seen at all. They have headaches, inflamed eyes, styes, even much graver troubles, from the strain of trying to see with eyes that were put up wrong. There are cases where homicidal insanity has been completely cured when impaired vision has been corrected. — (Harvey Sutherland in Ainslee's.

Spring and My Lady.

It is the Spring, my heart's full flood once more
Surges to her, as seeks the sea its shore.
The skies that are her eyes smile back at me,
And, oh! her smile is sunlight on the sea.
It is the Spring!

It is the Spring, the fragrance of her breath
Adown my heart's glad garden wandereth,
And soft amid the bloom I feel it stir
The passion flowers that are my love for her.
It is the Spring!

It is the Spring, the lute that is her voice
Thrills thro' the land, and bids the earth rejoice;
The unchained rills in new gained freedom leap,
My heart comes carolling from out its sleep—
It is the Spring!

It is the spring, and all the spring is mine,
And of our love a compliment and sign;
Where'er she walks the meated [illegible] [illegible],
And heart's-ease springs wherever [illegible] her [illegible].
It is the Spring!
—[illegible] A. Kelley in [illegible]

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

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As made to the Comptroller of the Currency, December 10, 1901:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,234,024.71
United States Bonds		100,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasury		5,000.00
Bonds and Warrants	466,175.16	
Cash and Due from Banks	1,236,645.33	1,703,120.49
		$3,041,845.20

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	107,297.07
Circulation	100,000.00
Deposits	2,734,548.13
	$3,041,845.20

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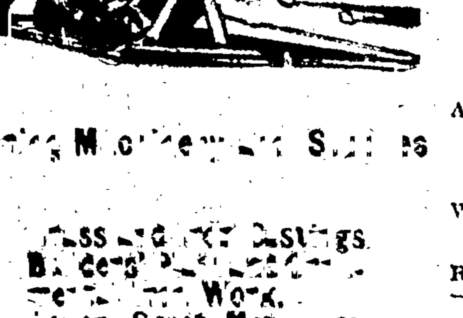

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THE TELLURIDE IS A BIG MILL

General Manager Fullerton Showed the New Plant to a Big Delegation of Springs Men Yesterday.

A delegation of some 50 or 60 Colorado Springs mine owners, capitalists, business men and public officials were guests of General Manager H. W. Fullerton of the Telluride Reduction company yesterday afternoon. The occasion for going yesterday rather than at some other time was the presence of President Henry B. Haigh, Vice President Russo Parker and Attorney A. C. Shenstone of the company, who expect to leave this morning for Denver and to leave Denver this afternoon for New York.

Colorado mining men have heard of so many new processes for the reduction of ore, and particularly of so many for the lowering of treatment charges, whereby lower grades of ore than had previously been profitable would be made marketable, that when Mr. Fullerton came to the city a year ago and said he was prepared to build a plant at Colorado City or elsewhere in the state for the inauguration of a new bromide process, there were a good many who did not at first give him serious consideration. It was the idea of many that like others who had come before him he had an untried process and one that was at best small. The error of this impression has long since been removed from the minds of the best and most experienced of the mining fraternity of this community, but nevertheless, the magnificent plant that was shown to those who made up Mr. Fullerton's party yesterday was an eye-opener. The Telluride company has accepted what inducements have been offered it here, but regardless of everything it has gone ahead and is now completing one of the most remarkable institutions in the country for the treatment of ores and one that will rank in importance with the greatest of those in Colorado.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the party gathered at the D. & R. G. station and boarded a Short Line special for the Telluride mill south of Colorado City. The spur from the Short Line main track to the new mill is a spur from that running to the United States Reduction company's plant at Colorado City. The Short Line spur connects about a quarter of a mile from the Telluride plant with a spur from the Midland road to which junction the Telluride people have built a railroad. The railroad approaches the mill on the south, which is on the hillside above the plant, thereby making available the gravity system of handling the ore from the time it leaves the cars until it is through the process of treatment. The work on the plant is being pushed as rapidly as possible and all the members of the party were very strongly impressed with the business-like, enterprising air that pervades the place and the work that is going on. Although the work on the big plant is yet quite far from complete the visitors found great interest in looking through the demonstration station that is in operation on the hill just above the big mill. This station is equipped with facilities for experiments in the treatment of ore by several different processes. The mill at Colorado City is a bromide plant and it is the bromine process that the company applies almost to the exclusion of all others. This station is equipped to determine the best process in the case of any ore, however, and tests are to be made here on ores sent in from any mining district anywhere. It is not the idea of the company to ship great quantities of ore here from distant camps, but to make tests here and build more mills in other mining regions, adapting the mill to the character of the ore to be handled. Mr. Fullerton explained that the feature of the bromine process that is to be used in Colorado City is that after the chemical has done its work it is recovered and is not injured. It can be used repeatedly. It is an expensive chemical, and one for which there has been up to the present time comparatively little use. This makes the treatment of ore by the ordinary bromine process expensive, but by the process to be used here whereby the chemical is recovered and preserved, very much less expensive and enables the company to handle a grade of ore that has heretofore been unprofitable. In a mining camp where there are such vast quantities of low grade ore as there are in Cripple Creek this is an all important factor. It will bring into the market tens of thousands of tons of ore that is already above ground in the district and will in all probability start mining operations in many properties now idle for the reason that they have not reached high grade ore and have not been able to market their low grade. The more low grade ore that is marketed the more development work can be carried on and development work is a thing that is necessary in most of the mines of the Cripple Creek district to lead to frequent strikes of high grade rock from which bigger profits are to be made.

The success of the Telluride company's bromine process is demonstrated to the satisfaction of the most conservative of the Cripple Creek mine owners and they are watching the progress of this mill with more than a passing interest.

Manitou mineral water was on tap at the laboratory and Mr. Fullerton had cigars for everybody as often as desired. Upon the return trip a stop was made at the Portland mill where an inspection of the plant and the oil well was made. The well has now reached a depth of 1,600 feet.

Sheriff's Office Moves Against Roadhouses

Sheriff Gilbert visited Roswell and the coal mines north of the city last evening to serve notice upon the proprietors of alleged social clubs that they must close up their places and cease selling liquor. The notices were prepared by County Attorney R. L. Chambers and the men on whom they were served were told that unless they close their illegal establishments they will be prosecuted.

Complaints have been made by residents of Roswell and persons living in the vicinity of the coal mines that liquor is being sold at those places by men who have no licenses. As the result of these complaints the following resolution was passed by the county commissioners:

"Whereas, Numerous complaints have been brought before the board of county commissioners of El Paso county, to the effect that certain pretended club organizations exist in the vicinity of Roswell, and the coal mines, that said club organizations are practically nothing more than bawdy houses and saloons, and are a great detriment and nuisance to the people of that community. Now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the board of county commissioners, That the county attorney be and is hereby instructed to take such legal steps as are necessary to the effectual closing of the same."

Mr. Chambers yesterday drew up notices to be served on the proprietors of the resorts, quoting the law which prevents them from selling liquor without a license, and stating that prosecutions will follow their failure to close their places. These notices were given to the sheriff last evening and were immediately served. It is thought that the proprietors will obey the instructions.

Rate War May End Today or Tomorrow

The rate war between the Colorado Midland and Short Line which has been going on for some time is soon to be terminated.

This announcement is made on the authority of one of the officials of the competing roads. It is quite probable the war will be declared at an end today or tomorrow.

During the past day or two meetings have been held in Denver and strong pressure is being brought to bear on the management of both lines to bring the war to a close.

It is the intention to hold another conference in Denver today at which time it is believed the fight will be settled satisfactorily to all concerned.

There has been no change in the rates for several weeks. The Midland has had a rate of 10 cents for the round trip while the Short Line rate has been 50 cents for the round trip. The Midland was the last to make the cut in passenger rates and then the fare of 25 cents one way and 40 cents for the round trip was established. The Short Line failed to meet this rate in the passenger department.

In the freight department there was a general slaughter several weeks ago and it has continued to the present time. The cutting by both roads in this department has been about the same, the rate on some classes of freight being as low as five cents per hundred.

If the arrangement is reached and the matter settled as is expected the former rates will prevail and an agreement signed whereby neither road is permitted to break the traffic arrangements.

Jackson Suit Will Be Tried Tomorrow

Two cases which were set for trial in the district court yesterday were postponed. The suit of Violette Jackson against the Newton Lumber company will be called at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Miss Jackson sues for $15,000 damages for injuries received in a runaway accident. The case of the town of Manitou against the First National bank of Colorado Springs will be called at 10 o'clock this morning. Judge Morton S. Bailey will preside at today's trial in the absence of Judge Cunningham.

The Newton Lumber company filed a mechanics lien suit in the district court yesterday against C. P. Sherman, the Assurance Savings & Loan association, George W. Musser, public trustee, J. S. Brown, H. A. Score, and E. M. Emler. The suit is to recover the amount of a bill of $84 for lumber furnished by the company for a house built by Mr. Sherman.

Attorney Arthur Cornforth filed a motion asking that the plaintiff in the attachment suit brought by the National bank of McKeesport, Pa., against C. A. Weldon, be compelled to furnish security for the costs of the suit.

Christian Scientist Secured a Judgment

Mrs. J. Etta Buster, a Christian science healer, recovered a verdict in the county court yesterday against the estate of Eliza McDonald for services rendered to Mrs. McDonald during her last illness. Mrs. Buster's bill was for $210, but the jury in the case decided that she was entitled to only $85.

The case was tried in the county court Monday afternoon, and the jury returned a sealed verdict that night. The verdict was opened in court yesterday morning. Mrs. Buster, as a professional Christian science healer, treated Mrs. McDonald during an illness which proved fatal. Her heirs refused to pay the bill presented by Mrs. Buster, and the healer brought suit. Mrs. Buster recently sued another estate to recover the amount of a bill presented by her, but lost the suit.

The divorce suit of William Cooch against Annie Cooch was tried in the county court yesterday and the divorce was granted on the ground of cruelty.

The Johnson-Wilbur Mercantile company recovered a verdict of $2.94 in the suit against Mr. and Mrs. E. Simmons. The suit was to recover an alleged bill of $37.

Rough Rider Spent a Day With Comrades

To few men has fallen a life of adventure such as that experienced by Mason Mitchell, actor, lecturer, traveler, scout and soldier. Mr. Mitchell spent yesterday in this city, hobnobbing with some of his kindred spirits whom he met while serving as a volunteer in "Teddy's" Rough Riders during the Spanish-American war. He is now following his profession as an actor, in the company of Blanche Walsh, which appears here tomorrow night. He registered at the Antlers yesterday and spent most of the day in visiting various points of interest in the vicinity of Colorado Springs, for it was his first visit here.

Mr. Mitchell is a handsome man, with the actor's stamp upon his features. He is said to be as good an actor as a soldier, and his reputation as a soldier is the best. He says he expects to spend the last years of his life in the Samoan islands, where he met Robert Louis Stevenson before the great novelist died, and with whose people he has much sympathy.

Many times Mason Mitchell has left the stage to shoulder a rifle or carry a sword. He went through stirring adventures in the British northwest as a scout during the Riel rebellion and at that time won a medal for meritorious service.

When the call was made for volunteers for the war with Spain Mr. Mitchell enlisted in the Rough Riders, joining the troops at San Antonio. He became a warm personal friend of Theodore Roosevelt. When the Rough Riders charged up San Juan hill in Cuba Mr. Mitchell was dangerously wounded. He was taken to Key West, and while on a vessel bound north from that place met Commander Tilley, now the American representative at Samoa. Mitchell and Tilley became fast friends, and as a result of this friendship Mitchell has paid several visits to the Samoan islands and is an authority on conditions there. He was familiar with the islands before. Mr. Mitchell visited Apia when Robert Louis Stevenson was there.

"There are to be found in the Samoan islands," said Mr. Mitchell yesterday, "some of the purest types of the Malay family. There is among the higher castes no mixture with the people of other blood, as is found in the other islands of the Pacific. The Samoan people have retained to a remarkable degree the customs of the life their ancestors. At the German settlement of Apia there are only 150 white people, and at Pango Pango, the United States settlement, there are only about 50 whites."

Mr. Mitchell has a vast amount of exact information about the islands and has the finest collection of photographs ever taken there. He is a personal friend of the young King Tamasese.

While serving with the Rough Riders Mr. Mitchell met Horace Devereux of Colorado Springs, and other Coloradoans who were members of that famous organization.

Daily Recorder Makes Its Appearance

A new legal paper, the Daily Recorder, has been established in Colorado Springs. The first issue appeared Monday evening and from now on the journal will be published every evening.

The new paper gives reports of the papers filed in the office of the county clerk and the proceedings in all of the local courts. It is a four-page paper, with three columns on each page. The publisher is R. L. Bradley.

Read the "Want" Ads.

Railway Men Here Numerous Yesterday

A number of railroad men were in the city for a short time yesterday on business connected with their roads. Nearly all of them have headquarters in Denver. The visitors were:

I. R. Reber, traveling freight and passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific; Warren McCord, traveling freight and passenger agent of the Chicago & Northwestern; J. F. Van Rensselear, traveling passenger agent of the Illinois Central; Frank Smith, freight agent of the "Big Four," and representing the "Kanawah Dispatch," fast freight line through Illinois to Chicago.

All of the party left the city during the afternoon for Denver.

Local Jobbers Will Go to Omaha Convention

Some of the local jobbers are arranging to attend the annual meeting of the Jobbers and Manufacturers association which meets in Omaha February 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22. Special rates have been made on all railroads for the meeting. The jobbers who go from this city will join the Denver party at the latter city and they will go together.

On the following week a meeting of the Iowa State association will be held in Des Moines and it is quite probable some of the Colorado jobbers will remain over and attend this meeting.

Morton Jones Will Succeed John Voorhees

Morton Jones will probably succeed John Voorhees as chief deputy to County Clerk Reed. Mr. Voorhees will assume his duties as city treasurer in a day or two.

Mr. Jones is one of the best posted men on county business methods in the state. For some time he has been employed as an assistant to Major McAllister in the county commissioners' office. Yesterday he began work in the office of the county clerk.

Mr. Jones was for years clerk to the commissioners of Elbert county, and in that position kept practically all of the accounts of the county. He is an expert accountant.

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During March and April special colonist rates will be put into effect on all the roads leading west connecting with lines reaching Idaho, Montana and Washington points. Tickets will go on sale March 1 and continue until April 30. The rate will be one fare for the round trip. West of Pocatello, Idaho, stop-over privileges will be allowed. The rates go into effect from Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and points to the west. East and south of these points the local rate to either will be added. Rates to Oregon will be put into effect at the same time, but they apply only to points west of Grand Junction.

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William Allen White, author "Court of Boyville," will introduce John Temple Graves at the Temple theater tonight. Tickets 25c, 35c and 50c.

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AMUSEMENTS

BLANCHE WALSH IN "LA MADELEINE."

Blanche Walsh will present her latest success, an entirely new emotional play by J. W. Dam, entitled "La Madeleine." Miss Walsh has long been desirous of creating a strong and original emotional part. In her brief career as a star it has been her fate to portray characters that have already been created by other actresses. In the Sardou plays she followed Sara Bernhardt and the late Fanny Davenport, and in "More Than Queen," in which she appeared last season, the character of Josephine had already been played by Julia Arthur. Even this year, the play which Miss Walsh did earlier in the season, "Janice Meredith," was originally presented by Mary Mannering. So it has happened that for three or four years Miss Walsh has been appearing in characters that other actresses have created. In "La Madeleine," however, she has found a part which she thinks exactly suits her temperament and ability, and in which she has had no predecessors. The piece is said to be a story of modern Parisian life, somewhat on the problem order, with a leading character, which it is claimed possesses as great emotional strength as Sardou's "La Tosca." The advent of this drama here should create more than ordinary interest among local theatergoers.

BLACK PATTI TROUBADOURS.

At the Opera house Saturday afternoon and evening will be seen what is universally acknowledged to be the merriest and most entertaining band of stage players at present before the public. The Black Patti Troubadours, America's premier colored company and the greatest and funniest show of its kind on earth is the attraction which will contribute a feast of mirth, melody and music to the patrons of this house. The Troubadours' performance is unique, novel, refined, fascinating and happily arranged to suit all tastes. Black Patti, the sweetest voiced singer of her race, and the accomplished vocal soloists of her company fully satisfy the musical senses of their hearers by the exquisite rendition of the immortal musical gems found in the operatic kaleidoscope.

On the other hand, John Rucker "The Alabama Blossom," the comedy genius of the company with the smart and snappy buck-dancing coon singing, and cake walk contingent, drives everybody into ecstacies of joy by the spirited songs and dances.

The new musical farce "A Filipino Misfit," is the biggest funny hit scored by the Troubadours in all the years of their unparalleled popularity, and the vaudeville olio, with John Rucker, in monologue; the Stokes Trio of whirlwind dancers and singers; Mack Allen, a slack wire marvel; the Troubadours Quartet, and Black Patti, in a new vocal setting called "Songs of Dixie" is up to the former brilliant standard.

LYCEUM COURSE.

The friends and admirers of John Temple Graves are looking forward with great expectations to his appearance at the Temple theater tomorrow evening. An increased interest has been added to the occasion by the announcement that William Allen White, author of "Court of Boyville," will introduce the lecturer and preside during the evening.

Few men have the rhetorical power possessed by John Temple Graves. His utterances are brave and lofty and his presentation of the great questions of the day, original.

This is the third visit of Mr. Graves to this city and his many admirers are heralding the news of his appearance among their friends. Students of literature, rhetoric and oratory can scarcely afford to miss hearing Mr. Graves.

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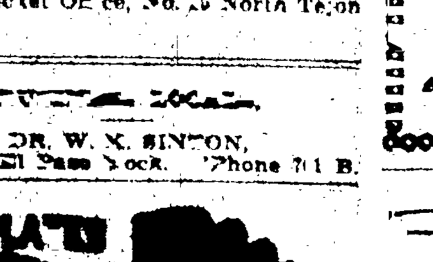

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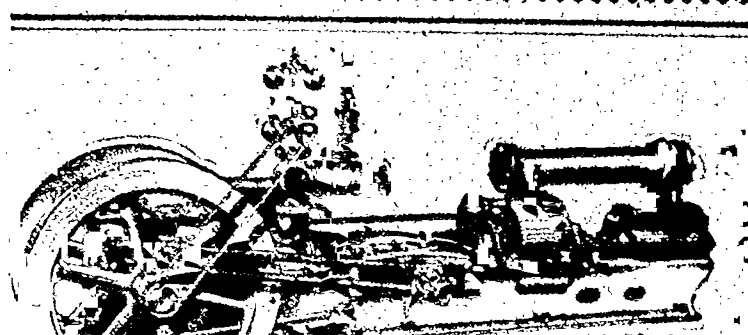

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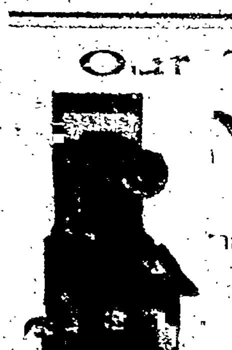

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AN EXTENSION OF TIME

... Lease on the Belmont Claim—Woods Company Not Worried ... of the Roxanna Directors.

Special to the Gazette.

Cripple Creek, Feb. 11.—An extension of time, amounting to 60 days, on the bond and lease on the Belmont claim, comprising four acres, west of the El Paso on Beacon hill, has been secured by John E. Logan of this city. The amount of the bond is $11,000. The property is owned by Chicago capitalists.

A bond and lease was today granted by Mr. Logan on the Con. Virginia and Elkhorn claims on Carbonate to S. H. Pullin. Mr. Pullin has two years in which to develop the property and if it proves up to his expectations, $20,000 will be paid as consideration for the two claims.

The deal of the Roxanna company directors canceling the bond and lease recently secured by John H. Hobbs on the Mountain Monarch and North Star claims on Raven hill, is not regarded seriously by the Woods Investment company, large holders of Jack Pot stock. The two claims comprise 19 acres adjoining the Doctor-Jack Pot property, and have been an object to that company ever since the consolidation of the Doctor, Jack Pot, Ingham, Nugget and Magnet Rock interests was effected in December, 1900. At that time negotiations were on for the two claims, but the high figure quoted by Moffat & Smith, the Denver owners, was the sticking point in the transaction. Mr. H. E. Woods states that recently a cash proposition of $175,000 for the property was turned down. The bond and lease as recently obtained by Mr. Hobbs, gives the company 20 months in which to determine whether or not the rich Doctor-Jack Pot ore shoots extend into the Roxanna territory. The amount of the bond is $260,000. The sum of $10,000 has placed in escrow in the First National bank in Denver by Mr. Hobbs. The Roxanna group has never been developed below the 300-foot depth and it is a matter of conjecture whether or not the rich ore expected will be found within its lines. At any rate, the bond and lease on the property is an excellent holding for the Doctor-Jack Pot company and mining men generally expect to see the company win out on the proposition.

John Best of Denver, who has several leasing interests throughout the district, was in the camp today examining the Jefferson on Gold hill, adjoining the Anchoria-Leland and the Zoe on Beacon hill. Both of these leases are outputting at the rate of about 100 tons of low grade ore per month. The Jefferson ore is chiefly from the 600-foot level, which has been put in better shape as regards ventilation. The average value of this mineral is a little less than one ounce in gold. The Zoe Leasing company is getting a good body of $20 ore from the new vein recently opened in the 475-foot level. This vein extends from the Gold Dollar property in which it was more or less productive.

The Bostwick company's shaft is being rapidly sunk to the 500-foot depth. The present depth is about 400 feet, and it is the intention of the company to do the 100 feet of additional work before taking up any lateral development. From the 500-foot point drifts and crosscuts will be run out in all directions to thoroughly prospect the property. To the south the company expects to let the contract where good ore is expected, also a large phonolite dike and two known veins.

Matt Layden, who recently secured the lease on the Half Moon of the Matoa company, controlled by W. S. Stratton, steamed up the large hoisting plant today and will keep up a vigorous policy of prospecting in all the levels which were formerly in ore. Carl Johnson, known as the "Lucky Swede," extracted a large fortune upward of the 500-foot level, but sank a good deal of money back again in deepening the shaft and running out the lower laterals. The shaft is sunk to the 1,000-foot depth and there is enough work done below the 500-foot point to afford Mr. Layden a good field for his prospecting.

The Alamo company is preparing to deepen the winze sunk from the Gold Exploration company's Ophelia tunnel level, another 100 feet. This will give the company a total depth of about 550 feet from the surface. At the bottom of the winze occasional bunches of ore running into good smelting grade have been found, and the present showing warrants the deeper development.

A farmer is known by his furrow as the carpenter is known by his chips." It takes a firm hand and a true eye to turn a straight furrow. No wonder the farmer wears out, spite of exercise and fresh air. One day's work on the farm would tire many a trained athlete. And the farmer works hardest of all. The first up and the last to bed, feeding his team before he feeds himself, his work is practically never done. Why does not the farmer treat his own body as he treats the land he cultivates? He puts back in phosphate what he takes out in crops, or the land would grow poor. The farmer should put back into his body the vital elements exhausted by labor. If he does not, he will soon complain of "poor health." The great value of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is in its vitalizing power. It gives strength to the stomach, life to the lungs, purity to the blood. It supplies Nature with the substances by which she builds up the body; just as the farmer supplies Nature with the substances that build up the crops.

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...tinue work, the shaft will have reached a depth of 1,000 feet. The royalties have also been modified, so that on ores of only one ounce and less a minimum of 16 per cent is exacted.

Sam McDonald and company have secured a two years lease on the Big Banta, owned by the Rocky Mountain Consolidated company, and have started work.

SANTA RITA MINE FAST IN LITIGATION.

The Santa Rita mine, situated a short distance west of this city on the south slope of Squaw mountain, is not shipping any ore at present. The property is now in litigation, a suit having been started in the district court by James Doyle, ex-mayor of this city, and Scott Ashton, who are not satisfied with the terms of the sale of the property to the Atlantic Gold Mining company.

OPERATIONS RESUMED ON LAST DOLLAR.

Superintendent Waldron of the Last Dollar has again resumed operations, and with this property active all of the mines which were obliged to temporarily suspend work on account of the freezing of the water mains have started up.

A BIG DEAL IN DEBEQUE LANDS

Involving $20,000 Was Put Through Yesterday ... This City—A New Company Organized to Act as Parent to Others.

A deal involving $20,000 and a large tract of oil lands, town lots and buildings was closed yesterday in this city by E. A. Sunderlin, J. M. Parker and R. P. Davie, as the consummation to negotiations which these gentlemen have been carrying on since their first visit to the Debeque fields two or three weeks ago. This property has been incorporated into a company to be known as the Debeque Townsite, Oil & Development company with a capitalization of 1,500,000 shares, with 400,000 shares and a considerable amount of cash in the treasury.

The property owned includes 760 acres of oil lands, 11 lots in the township of Debeque and considerable valuable structural real estate. The company purposes to lease out portions of its acreage to those who will agree to sink wells at once; and will itself prosecute development on its property, having already ordered an equipment for one of the town lots located in an advantageous relation to the well which is now producing.

These gentlemen have already been instrumental in the organization of three oil companies to operate in this field, one of which, the Blaine, has received its equipment and already started work on the derrick. But the present incorporation is the most important yet organized, and is probably destined to hold a very important place in the future development of what is one of the most promising oil districts ever entered.

FULL DINNER PAIL OIL COMPANY

Owning Property on Each Side of the Producing Well at Debeque Has Been Organized by Local Mining Men.

A company bearing the significant appellation of The Full Dinner Pail Oil company has just been launched by Edwin Arkell, J. P. Walsh and W. E. Turley of this city to operate some very promising oil land in Debeque. The company has a capitalization of 1,500,000 shares of one cent each, and 750,000 shares are retained in the treasury. The directors of the company comprise the three gentlemen named and Irving E. Williams of Boston, and Morris V. Brown of Buena Vista, with Mr. Arkell as president, Mr. Turley as vice president, and Mr. Walsh as secretary and treasurer.

The company owns 40 acres of centrally located property in the Debeque district, so central, in fact, that the two halves of the property, 20 acres each, lie on either side and directly contiguous to the well of the Debeque Oil company which is now producing a grade of oil which can't be beat by any oil section of the state.

In addition to the large block of stock mentioned, the company has $2,400 in the treasury with which to begin operations, and a derrick is to be at once erected, and drilling to begin just as soon as the necessary machinery can be assembled on the property. Many prominent local capitalists are interested in these fields, and arrangements are now being made on a large scale to boom the district by a personal canvass and wide advertising throughout the east, and the Full Dinner Pail company promises to be right in the thick of the excitement.

ROXANNA TRANSFER IS DISPUTED

By the Company Which Claims it Did Not Know That Mr. Berryman Was Selling the Bond and Lease to the Doctor-Jack Pot.

A complication which may prove more or less serious to the interests of the Doctor-Jack Pot company has arisen in connection with the bond and lease which was obtained on the Roxanna group over two weeks ago, as announced in these columns at that time. The amount of the bond was fixed at $260,000, as the original figure made for Mr. Berryman of whom the lease was purchased, and Mr. John H. Hobbs of the Doctor-Jack Pot company has paid over to Mr. Berryman the $10,000 which was the price asked by the latter.

It is now claimed by the Roxanna people, Messrs. Dunham, Eben Smith and others, that when they agreed to the transfer of the bond and lease, they did not know that it was going into the hands of the Doctor-Jack Pot company, and that, to divert their suspicions from such a supposition, misrepresentations were made. They have accordingly notified an officer of the Doctor-Jack Pot company that the bond and lease has been canceled.

An officer of the Doctor-Jack Pot company stated yesterday that the papers recording the transfer of the lease from Mr. Berryman to the Doctor-Jack Pot company had been properly signed and delivered, and that he did not think the company would have any trouble in holding the Roxanna people to the transfer.

MINING NOTES AROUND TOWN

Encouraging reports are coming from the well of the El Paso Gas and Oil company north of this city, and it seems very probable that there will be a revival of the oil boom witnessed in this city several weeks ago. Since the first oil stratum was entered last week there has been a great deal of interest manifested throughout the business section of the city, and inquiry of one of the officers of the company yesterday elicited the information that the stratum had now been entirely cut through and that there was certainly a good amount of oil opened up, although it was impossible to estimate how much could be pumped, and the well was to go right on down from the present depth to a stratum which is supposed to be of greater thickness and to hold a greater abundance of the oil. Superintendent Atkinson is quite confident that he could pump 30 barrels a day from the present depth.

BOOKS OF HOME CO. ORDERED PRODUCED.

W. S. Shaw, who was appointed referee by Judge Seeds of the district court in the Home Mining company case, has ordered the books of the company produced before him next Thursday. The Home Mining company was organized by Judge Beall, who is now in California, and concessions were secured from the city to mine under the streets. W. S. Tevis, the California millionaire, who died on his honeymoon in Japan, invested about ... in this company. It is claimed that this sum and other funds have been expended and the company is now without resources. His attorney, ... F. Miller, who secured a judgment for ... damages, but who failed to record his ... claims that the property was ... sold under an attachment and that ... C. Newcomb ... an attachment for the purpose of defrauding him out of his judgment.

NEW MANAGER INSPECTS THE ISABELLA WORKINGS.

E. M. De La Vergne, the general manager of the Isabella company, was at the mine today and made a thorough inspection of the underground workings. Last month, there was a deficit when the company paid the mining expenses, but judging from the shipments sent out so far this month, there will be a surplus when the pay roll is met in February. It is the intention of the new board of directors to lease certain portions of the territory under favorable royalties to the right parties. In all probability the work of sinking a new three-compartment shaft will be undertaken in the near future. It will be sunk north and west of the old Buena Vista inclined shaft, where the greater portion of the ore is now being mined. The ore that is being marketed at the present time is averaging in the neighborhood of ... a ton. In the event of the ground being leased in blocks there is little question but that the old time bonanza will again be found in the list of big shippers of the district. The company owns about 100 acres, and only a small fraction of the territory has been prospected.

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A Russian Romance.

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It happened somewhere in the country, many, many years ago, in the "good old days," when there were no railroads, and people traveled about mostly in their own sledges or carriages drawn by post-horses, or, if the distance was not too great, by their own "troika," a Russian sledge drawn by a team of three horses.

The heroine of my story was at that time a young girl still in the schoolroom, greatly troubled with lessons, governesses, and dancing masters, and becoming rather tired of her quiet life in the country. So, one fine evening, just before going to bed, she thought she would like to cast one look into the future and see from what direction she was to expect her fate. She stepped out accordingly upon the terrace, and—whizz!—her slipper went skimming through the cold night air! But what was her discomfiture when she saw it fly over the high fence and into the road beyond! Here was a predicament!

She could not possibly follow and seek it in the deep snow, her feet clad in silk stockings, and only one slipper for them both! She did not like sending out the servants, who were all at supper, and it did not seem worth while to put on thick boots and begin a regular search so late at night. "This comes of being too curious," she soliloquized, as she limped to her own room. "Well, never mind; I dare say I find my slipper safe and sound tomorrow morning." But her search next day proved vain; fresh snow had fallen during the night, and the lost slipper, she thought, was probably buried deep beneath the soft white covering.

Several years passed. Her parents moved to Moscow, where, in the course of time, she married an officer in the emperor's guards. In her husband's study, on the mantelshelf, she often noticed, among other knick-knacks, a girl's dainty but faded satin slipper. It certainly seemed familiar to her, but though she often wondered about it she never could remember where and when she had seen just such a shoe as that. At last her curiosity grew to such a pitch—the old slipper was always ... reminding her of something she knew not exactly what—that she decided to question her husband about it.

"It is an old story," he answered, "and happened many years ago. ... was then a young fellow, just beginning ... and traveling post-haste to join my regiment. It happened to pass through a village one evening, at a great speed, my horses being fresh and in high spirits ... ... on the roads ... ... from the other side of a fence ... ...

turning back and delivering the weapon into the fair hands that had, unintentionally, dealt the blow; but on looking round, I perceived that the village, 'Krasnoe' I think it was called, was far behind us and I, still holding the slipper in my hand, was being carried along over the snowy steppes at full speed.

"I have never since been in that part of the country, nor have I any idea whose feet once tripped about gayly in this little shoe, but I came to have a tender feeling for it. I was sorry for the girl who surely had been looking for it and probably wondered about its mysterious disappearance, and as time moved on I somehow came to associate it with my early youth and all its golden dreams; that's why I have kept it through these past ... years. You are not jealous, dear, are you?" he ... ...

"Jealous—of my own old slipper?" ... cried. "That is fine! Why, it is mine, mine, mine!" and she clapped ... ... familiar and like an old friend! Ten years ago! I was 15 then, and oh, so tired of lessons, lessons, lessons, and snow, snow, snow, all day long, with nobody of my age near, and the winter evenings so lonely and dull that one evening I decided to try the old experiment, and see whether there was any hope of a change for me. And it has come true! for didn't it strike you on the cheek? Poor old cheek!" and she patted it tenderly.

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Colorado Springs, Feb. 11.—The mining stock market today was lower all around, with very little interest taken in any department. In a few isolated stocks there was a suggestion of a demand, but in the great majority the bidding was indifferent, and even then brokers were at times surprised by getting stocks at prices which they thought perfectly safe to offer. In the mines list the trading opened with Acacia selling at 11¼ and Butterfly at 15. Doctor was lower at 42½ on the report that the Roxanna company would dispute the bond given recently to the Doctor-Jack Pot company. Gould sold at 12½ and Isabella declined to 25. There was a little demand for Work which put the price back at 6¾ and Calera remained strong at 36½, while Nellie V. was popular at the low price to which the stock declined last week, and a gain of two points to 2¾ was recorded during the day. Sunset-Eclipse sold at 13½. Trading was very evenly divided between the three departments, but the prospects lists hold no interest whatever. C. K. and N. made its periodical backward movement to 2¾, where it was bought on the expectation that it would be 3 tomorrow. It is on such steady manipulations that the bulls and bears who used to engineer big deals in Isabella and Elkton are now subsisting.

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	Bid.	Ask.	Sales.
Acacia	10½	11¼	[illegible]
Anaconda	27½	[illegible]	1500
Argentum-J.	5½	8	[illegible]
Battle Mt.	15	17	500
Black Belle	6½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Butterfly	15	16	2000
C. K. & N.	3	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	4	4½	[illegible]
Doctor-Jack Pot	42½	44	[illegible]
Elkton Con	1.31¾	1.34½	[illegible]
El Paso Gold	59¾	61	500
Findley	10½	11½	[illegible]
Gold Dollar	6	6¼	[illegible]
Gold Dollar Con	[illegible]	16½	1000
Golden Cycle	66¾	68	[illegible]
Golden Eagle (Ida.)	[illegible]	60	[illegible]
Golden Fleece	[illegible]	50	[illegible]
Gold King	20	50	[illegible]
Gould	[illegible]	[illegible]	1000
Isabella	22	25	1000
Jack Pot	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Last Dollar	30	35	[illegible]
Lexington	7	7½	[illegible]
Mint	5½	6	[illegible]
Mollie Gibson	13	18	[illegible]
Moon-Anchor	19½	21	[illegible]
Pharmacist Con	1¼	5	[illegible]
Pinnacle	30	35	1000
Pointer	2¾	3	1000
Portland	2.60	2.65	[illegible]
Prince Albert	3	[illegible]	[illegible]
Vindicator	[illegible]	1.20	[illegible]
Work	6¾	[illegible]	2000

PREFERRED PROSPECTS.

	Bid.	Ask.	Sales.
Alamo	12	13	[illegible]
American Con	2½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Beacon Hill-Ajax	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ben Hur	5½	6	[illegible]
Blanche	1¾	[illegible]	[illegible]
Blue Bell	8½	[illegible]	1000
Bob Lee	1	1¼	[illegible]
Bonnie Nell	4¾	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bostwick	5	6	[illegible]
Buckhorn	1¾	2	1000
Calera	36½	[illegible]	500
C. C. G. Ex.	4¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central Con	6¼	7½	[illegible]
Champion	2½	3½	[illegible]
C. C. and M.	3½	4	3000
Col.-Ute Tunnel	3½	4½	[illegible]
Constantine	3	3½	[illegible]
Creede and C. C.	1¾	[illegible]	[illegible]
Currency	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Des Moines	1	1¼	[illegible]
Dorothy	.065	[illegible]	2000
Easter Belle	1¼	1¾	[illegible]
Echo	1¼	1¾	[illegible]
Eleanor	.075	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fanny Rawlings	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Flower of the West	1¼	1¼	[illegible]
Flying Cloud	1¾	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fulton M.	1¼	1¾	[illegible]
German-American	2¼	2½	[illegible]
Gold Bond	2½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gold Sovereign	3	3½	[illegible]
Grace Gold	1	1¼	[illegible]
Greater Gold Belt	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hard Carbonate	.002	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hart	[illegible]	1½	[illegible]
Hercules	.065	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ida May	.18	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ironclad	2¾	3¼	2000
Jolly Jane	2½	2½	1000
Kaffirs	.065	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kentucky	1¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Keystone	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Little Bess	[illegible]	1¼	[illegible]
Little Joan	[illegible]	1½	[illegible]
Little Nell	5½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Little Puck	5½	6	[illegible]
Madeline	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mariposa	1¼	1¾	[illegible]
Mary Cashen	1	1¾	[illegible]
Mataa	8	[illegible]	[illegible]
Midway	3½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Missouri	2½	2½	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	.007	[illegible]
Mobile	2¼	2¾	[illegible]
Molly Dwyer	2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Monarch	2½	2¾	[illegible]
Morning Star	3	3¾	1000
Mt. Rosa	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
National	7½	8	5000
Nellie V.	2¾	3	7000
New Haven	3¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Olive Branch	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oriole	1	1¾	[illegible]
Pappoose	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Princess Gold	9½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Progress	2¼	3	[illegible]
Pythias	2½	3½	[illegible]
Republic	5¾	6	[illegible]
Reward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Robert Burns	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rocky Mt.	2½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rose Maud	3¾	4	[illegible]
Rose Nicol	4	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sedan	2½	3¾	[illegible]
Sunset-Eclipse	13½	13½	[illegible]
Tenderfoot Hill Con	2½	2½	[illegible]
Triumph	2½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Twin Sisters	1½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Uncle Sam	3¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Virginia M.	2½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Volcano	1	1¼	[illegible]
Wide Awake	1¾	[illegible]	[illegible]
Zenobia	[illegible]	13½	[illegible]

PROSPECTS.

	Bid.	Ask.	Sales.
Ader Bell	[illegible]	1½	[illegible]
Agnes M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	1000
Allee M.	.0025	.0075	[illegible]
Amethyst	[illegible]	.006	[illegible]
Anna May	[illegible]	1½	[illegible]
Antelope	[illegible]	1¼	[illegible]
Aola	2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Astor	.002	.003	[illegible]
Avalon	[illegible]	.005	[illegible]
Banner Gold	1	1¼	[illegible]
Big Dick	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bonzal	[illegible]	1¼	[illegible]
Cadillac	.005	1¼	[illegible]
C. P. Gold Bullion	[illegible]	1½	[illegible]
Celestine	[illegible]	.0075	[illegible]
Chicola	.0065	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. K. and N.	2¾	3	3000
Colonial Dames	.006	.0075	[illegible]
Copper Signal	.003	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cosmos	[illegible]	.001	[illegible]
Croesus	[illegible]	.001	[illegible]
Cumberland Con	[illegible]	1¼	[illegible]
Deadshot	1	1¼	[illegible]
Defender	.0025	.0075	[illegible]
Detroit	.006	[illegible]	[illegible]
Emma-Ainee	.008	.0085	1000
Ernestine	.005	.006	[illegible]
Favorite	.005	[illegible]	[illegible]
Figaro	.0055	1	[illegible]
Gold Calf	.004	[illegible]	[illegible]
Golden Age	1	1¼	[illegible]
Golden Dale	.005	[illegible]	[illegible]
Golden Eagle (C. C.)	1	1¾	[illegible]
Goldfield	1	2	[illegible]
Gold Hill	.006	.008	[illegible]
Gold Knob	[illegible]	1¼	[illegible]
Goldstone	.0075	1	1100
Helen B.	.008	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hermosa	.006	1¼	[illegible]
Hoosier Boy	[illegible]	2	[illegible]
Horseshoe	.0015	.002	10000
Indicator	[illegible]	.007	[illegible]
Justin	.002	.0025	[illegible]
Josephine	.005	1	[illegible]
Key West	[illegible]	3¼	[illegible]
Kitty Gold	1½	1¾	5000

PROSPECTS—(Continued.)

	Bid.	Ask.	Sales.
Lacota	[illegible]	.006	[illegible]
Lasca	.002	.0015	[illegible]
Leon	[illegible]	.061	[illegible]
Little Man	.0025	.005	[illegible]
Lucrative	.0015	.007	5000
Magic	.0015	.002	[illegible]
Magna Charta	2¼	2½	2500
Magnet Rock	[illegible]	1¾	[illegible]
Magnolia	.009	[illegible]	[illegible]
Margaret	.002	.004	[illegible]
Maria A.	1	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marion	.002	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marquette	.004	.008	[illegible]
Mary Nevin	1	[illegible]	5000
Merrimac	.0025	.0035	[illegible]
Montreal	1½	2½	2000
Montrose	1	1¾	[illegible]
Navajo	.005	.0065	5000
O. K.	1¼	1¼	[illegible]
Old Gold	[illegible]	.006	[illegible]
Omega	.004	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ontario	[illegible]	1	[illegible]
Palace	[illegible]	.008	[illegible]
Pelican	[illegible]	.007	[illegible]
Prin-Sett	[illegible]	1¼	[illegible]
Rattler	[illegible]	1½	1000
Red Spruce	1	1½	[illegible]
Rio Grande	[illegible]	.004	[illegible]
Rose Archer	[illegible]	.0025	[illegible]
Santa Fe	[illegible]	.002	[illegible]
Shannon	1½	1¾	[illegible]
Silver State	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Silver Gold	[illegible]	.009	[illegible]
Spar	2½	2½	[illegible]
Texas Girl	.065	[illegible]	1000
Transit	.0065	1¼	5000
Union Belle	[illegible]	2½	[illegible]
Waverly	[illegible]	.005	[illegible]
Woman's Gold	.005	.008	[illegible]
Xerxes	.004	.005	[illegible]
Zoe	[illegible]	1¼	1¼

MORNING CALL. SEPARATE SALES.

MINES.

Anaconda, 500 at 27½.
Dante, 1,000 at 1¼.
Elkton, 500 at $1.32¼, 1,500 at $1.32½.
El Paso, 500 at 62½.
Gold Dollar Con., 1,000 at 19.
Isabella, 1,000 at 26, 1,000 at 25.
Gould, 1,000 at 12½.
Lexington, 1,000 at 7.
Work, 2,000 at 6.

PREFERRED PROSPECTS.

Jolly Jane, 16,000 at 2½.
Little Nell, 2,000 at 5.
National, 5,000 at 8.
Morning Star, 1,000 at 3.
Nellie V., 1,000 at 2½, 5,000 at 2¾.
Sunset, 1,000 at 13¼.
G. G. Belt, 337 at 1¼.
Calera, 5,000 at 36½.
Dorothy, 2,000 at .065.

PROSPECTS.

Agnes, 1,000 at 2¾.
Horseshoe, 10,000 at .002.
Kitty Gold, 5,000 at 1½.
Lucrative, 5,000 at .007.
Magna Charta, 500 at 2½.
Marquette, 1,000 at .005.
Navajo, 1,000 at .006.
Rattler, 1,000 at 1½.
Trenton, 1,000 at .008, 1,000 at .0075.

AFTERNOON CALL. SEPARATE SALES.

MINES.

Acacia, 2,000 at 11¼.
Anaconda, 500 at 27½.
Battle Mt., 1,000 at 17.
Butterfly, 2,000 at 15.
Dante, 1,000 at 1¼.
Doctor-Jack Pot, 1,500 at 42½.
Elkton, 500 at $1.32¼, 1,000 at $1.32½.
Isabella, 2,000 at 25, 1,000 at 24½.
Golden Fleece, 500 at 50.
Lexington, 1,000 at 7.
Pointer, 1,000 at 3.

PREFERRED PROSPECTS.

Ironclad, 2,000 at 3½.
Sedan, 2,000 at 3¾.
Sunset-Eclipse, 2,000 at 13¾, 500 at 13½.
Blue Bell, 1,000 at 8.
Buckhorn, 1,000 at 2.
C. C. M., 2,000 at 3½.
Constantine, 3,000 at 3¼.

PROSPECTS.

C. P. Gold Bullion, 1,000 at 1½, 5,000 at 1¼.
Emma-Ainee, 1,000 at .008.
Figaro, 5,000 at .005.
Goldstone, 1,000 at .008.
Magna Charta, 2,000 at 2½.

CRIPPLE CREEK EXCHANGE.

Following are the sales and closing quotations on the Cripple Creek exchange as received over the private wires of J. McK. FERRIDAY & CO., Lagerman Building:

Stocks.	Bid.	Ask.	Sales.
Alert	3	[illegible]	1000
Anna M.	[illegible]	1¼	5000
Argentum	[illegible]	[illegible]	1000
Black Belle	6½	[illegible]	1000
Big Four	[illegible]	[illegible]	20[illegible]
Bob Lee	1	1¼	1000
Ben Hur	5½	6	5000
Com. Dime	1¼	[illegible]	2000
Carolina	[illegible]	[illegible]	2000
C. K. and N.	3	3¼	8000
Dante	[illegible]	[illegible]	2000
Elkton	1.31¾	1.34	1000
Findley	11½	11¾	1000
Golden Cycle	.66¾	68	1000
Grace	1	1¼	5000
Jean	[illegible]	[illegible]	1000
King Gold	.0025	.005	1000
Mobile	2	2¼	5000
Pinnacle	[illegible]	3½	2000
Pharmacist	[illegible]	5	1000
Quito	[illegible]	[illegible]	15000
Red Spruce	1¼	1¾	1000
Transvaal	[illegible]	[illegible]	1000
Total			88,000

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The Rogers, Peet & Co. Clothing and Livery.

ions to $20,000,000 of Baltimore & Ohio bonds and to $10,000,000 of Pennsylvania equipment trust certificates, to say nothing of the acknowledged repayment on a large scale of foreign indebtedness to be replaced with New York banks, the Metropolitan Street Railway re-adjustment meant to provide $30,000,000 and preparations for the St. Louis Southwestern second mortgage re-adjustment, the new New York Central stock issue, and that of the Canadian Pacific. There were, however, significant points of strength in the market. The steel stocks were all very heavily bought on the encouraging trade prospects, but the United States Steel stocks met enormous offerings at every slight advance. The [illegible] movement in Pennsylvania was regarded as an alternating movement with that in Southern Pacific and due to operations by the same interest. Texas & Pacific was advanced on the strength of the increase in the yearly disbursement on the company's second incomes. The cause of the strength in the Iowa Central stocks and the Minneapolis and St. Louis stocks was the supposed competition for control between Illinois Central and Rock Island. There was very large buying of Southern Railway and Louisville & Nashville and of a number of stocks of comparatively small capitalization which was not expected. The buying of the Readings continued very large, but they showed the effect of profit taking. The industrials as a rule outside of the steel stocks and some of the gas stocks were inclined to heaviness. Amalgamated Copper showed a good recovery, but closed with a small net loss. The closing was active and irregular.

Business in bonds continued large and the price movement irregular. Total sales, par value, $4,840,000. United States new 4s advanced ¼ per cent. on the last call.

Continuous quotations on New York Stocks, Bonds, Cotton, Chicago Grain and Provisions. Wm. A. Otis & Co., 127 East Pike's Peak avenue.

STOCKS AND BONDS

Government Bonds.

U. S. ref 2s reg...108¼; do do coup...108¾
do do coup...108¼; U S old 4s reg..112
U S 3s reg...108¼; do do coup...112
do do coup...108¾; U S 5s reg...106
U S new 4s reg...139¼; do do coup...106

Miscellaneous Bonds.

Atch gen 4s...104½; M K and T 4s...99
do do adj...93¾; do do 2ds...81½
B and O 4s...104; N Y Cen 1sts...103
do do 3½s...91¼; do do gen 3½s...106
do do conv 4s...105¾; N J Cen gen 5s...137½
Can South 2ds...110¾; North Pac 4s...103¼
Cen of Ga 5s...111; do do 3s...73½
do do 2d inc...79¾; N W con 4s...92½
C and O 4½s...109; Reading gen 4s...99
Chi Alton 3½s...84; St L I M con 5s...117½
C B Q new 4s...95¾; S L and S F 4s...97¼
C M & P gen 4s...119¼; S L Swn 1sts...99½
C and N con 7s...139; do do 2ds...79½
C R I and P 4s...111¼; San A Ar P 4s...91¼
C C C S L g 4s...103¾; South Pac 4s...94¼
Chi Term 4s...86¼; Sou Railway 5s...120
Colo South 4s...92; T and P 1sts...120½
D and R G 4s...102¾; T S L and W 4s...88½
Erie pr lien 4s...98¼; Union Pac 4s...106¾
do do gen 4s...88¼; do do conv 4s...107
F W D C 1sts...110½; Wabash 1sts...118
Hock Val 4½s...109½; do do 2ds...111¾
L and N Uni 4s...101¼; do do Deb B...71¾
Mex Central 4s...82; West Shore 4s...112¾
do do 1st inc...31¾; W and L E 4s...91¼
Minn St L 4s...104½; Wis Central 4s...90¼

Railroad Stocks.

Atchison...78¾; Manhattan L...132¾
do do pfd...98¾; Met St Ry...171
Balt and Ohio...105; Mex Central...28¾
do do pfd...96½; Mex National...18¼
Can Pacific...115¾; Minn and St L...110
Can Southern...87¾; Missouri Pac...101¾
Ches and Ohio...46¾; M K and T...24
Chi and Alton...35¾; do do pfd...51
do do pfd...75½; N J Central...191
Chi Ind and L...50½; N Y Central...165
do do pfd...77; Nor and West...57¼
Chi and E Ill...162½; do do pfd...90½
Chi and G W...23¾; Ontario and W...34½
do do pfd (A)...84; Reading...55½
do do pfd (B)...41¾; Reading...[illegible]
Chi and Nwn...210; do do 1st pfd...81¼
C R I and P...163½; do do 2d pfd...67¼
Chi T and T...16¼; St L and S F...62
do do pfd...31½; do do 1st pfd...84
C C C St L...102; do do 2d pfd...73¼
Colo Southern...16¾; St L Swn...25½
do do 1st pfd...60¼; do do pfd...58¾
do do 2d pfd...32¾; St Paul...165¾
Del and Hud...172¾; do do pfd...191
Del L and W...281½; South Pacific...67
D and R G...44; South Railway...33½
do do pfd...92¼; do do pfd...95¼
Erie...40¾; Tex and Pac...40
do do 1st pfd...70; T S L and W...22¾
do do 2d pfd...57½; do do pfd...43
Gr North pfd...185¾; Union Pacific...103¾
Hock Valley...80¾; do do pfd...89½
do do pfd...84¾; Wabash...23¾
Ill Central...142½; do do pfd...43½
Ia Central...47; W and L E...19¼
do do pfd...86¼; do do 2d pfd...30¼
L E and W...68; Wis Central...20
do do pfd...131; do do pfd...40¾
L and Nville...105¾

Express Companies.

Adams...210; United States...118
American...228; Wells Fargo...201

Miscellaneous.

Amal Copper...71¾; do do pfd...81
Am Car Found...29¾; North American...93
do do pfd...85¾; Pacific Coast...74
Am Linseed Oil...20¾; Pacific Mail...[illegible]
do do pfd...48; People's Gas...102¾
Am Smlt Rfng...47; Pressed Steel Car...[illegible]
do do pfd...[illegible]; do do pfd...[illegible]
Ana Min Co...73; Pull Pal Car...22[illegible]
Brook Rap Tran...64¾; Republic Steel...[illegible]
Colo F and I...[illegible]; do do pfd...[illegible]
Consol Gas...[illegible]; Sugar...[illegible]
Cont Tobac pfd...115¾; Tenn C and I...[illegible]
Gen Electric...[illegible]; Un Bag Paper...[illegible]
Glucose Sugar...47; do do pfd...[illegible]
Hocking Coal...18; U S Leather...[illegible]
Intnl Paper...19¾; do do pfd...[illegible]
do do pfd...74¾; U S Rubber...[illegible]
Intnl Power...[illegible]; do do pfd...[illegible]
Laclede Gas...[illegible]; U S Steel...[illegible]
Nat Biscuit...46¾; do do pfd...[illegible]
Nat Lead...17¾; West Union...90¾
Nat [illegible]...[illegible]

Continuous Quotations

Over our private wire on New York stocks and bonds, Chicago grain and provisions. William P. Bonbright & Co., 29 N. Tejon street.

EASTERN MARKETS

New York Stock Market.

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 11.—Today's stock market showed a further expansion in the dealings, and the great irregularity of the market continued. The selling side was rather better represented than yesterday, but many prominent stocks took up the advance at new points. The disposition to take profits was very natural on the eve of a holiday. There was obviously some misgiving also among speculative buyers lest the expectations of coming deals would not be realized. This was especially the case among the local factions, where the glamor of the coming announcement of the Metropolitan Street deal has suffered some decline. The anxiety on the subject was seemed as an announcement of the plan is thought possible over the holiday. Recent sanguine expectations of benefits to accrue to the express companies from some sort of consolidation suffered some declines, as shown by the sharp drop of 7¾ in United States Express, although the stock has been rallied 4¼. American Express, after rising nearly five points, lost it again. This speculative assumption that last week's huge loan expansion represented syndicate preparations for deals was subjected to careful scrutiny today and the opinion was developed that financial operations already known might abundantly account for the increase in credits. Subscriptions

New York Money.

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 11.—Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87¾ for demand and at $4.84¼@4.84½ for 60 days. Posted rates, $4.85½@4.88. Commercial bills, $4.84¼@4.84¾.

Bar silver, 55c; Mexican dollars, 43⅝c.

Bonds—Government, strong; state, weak; railroads, irregular.

Coffee Market.

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 11.—Coffee—Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5⅝c; mild, quiet; Cordova, 8@12.

The London Market.

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 11.—Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram: General Kitchener's big haul of Boer prisoners stimulated trading in Kaffirs, but other departments of the market were mainly occupied in the settlement. American shares were quieter. Rio Tintos sold at 45⅝; copper at £55⅞ the ton. Money was steady.

Kaffirs.

Cabled quotations on Kaffirs and Stratton's Independence, William P. Bonbright & Co., 29 N. Tejon street.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Timidity among speculators in the grain pits over what might happen during tomorrow's holiday on the board led to general covering and with a few bits of bullish news helped toward better prices all around. May wheat registered a net gain of [illegible]c, May corn ¼c and May oats [illegible]c. Provisions closed a shade to [illegible] higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2—				
Feb	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	75⅞
May	77¾	78⅛	77¼	78⅛
July	77⅞	78⅛	77¼	78⅛
Corn, No. 2—				
May	61⅞	62	61⅞	61⅞
July	61⅜	61⅞	61⅜	61⅞
Sept	60⅞	60⅞	60⅜	60⅝
Oats, No. 2—				
May	42½	43⅛	42½	43
July	36½	37	36⅝	36⅞
Sept	31½	31½	31¼	31⅜
Mess Pork, bbl—				
May	15.90	16.00	15.90	15.95
July	16.00	16.05	16.00	16.02½
Lard, 100 lbs—				
May	9.52½	9.55	9.52½	9.52½
July	9.60	9.65	9.60	9.62½
Short Ribs, 100 lbs—				
May	8.52½	8.60	8.52½	8.57½
July	8.67½	8.70	8.65	8.67½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, Dull and steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 71@75c; No. 2 red, 85@86c. No. 2 oats, 43¼c; No. 2 white, 45@45¾c; No. 3 white, 43@44¾c; No. 2 rye, 60c; fair to choice malting barley, 59@65c; No. 1 flax seed, $1.66; No. 1 northwestern, $1.71½; prime timothy seed, $6.00; mess pork, per bbl., $15.70@15.75; lard, per 100 lbs., $9.37½@9.40; short ribs sides (loose), $8.40@8.60; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 7@7¼c; short clear sides (boxed), $8.90@8.95; whisky, basis of high wines, $1.31; clover, contract grade, $9.25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	28,000	27,000
Wheat, bu	63,000	101,000
Corn, bu	63,000	57,000
Oats, bu	173,000	91,000
Rye, bu	5,000	1,000
Barley, bu	33,000	10,000

On the produce exchange today the butter market firm; creamery, 17@27½c; dairy, 16@22c, cheese steady, 9¾@11¼c; eggs firm, fresh 27c.

Chicago Cattle Market.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000 head, including 400 Texans. Steady. Good to prime steers, $6.50@7.00; poor to medium, $4.00@6.00; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.50; cows, $1.25@5.00; heifers, $2.50@5.25; canners, $2.25; bulls, $2.25@4.50; calves, $2.50@7.60; Texas fed steers, $4.00@6.00.

Hogs—Receipts today, 43,000; tomorrow, 45,000; left over, 7,000. Slow and shade lower, close strong; mixed and butchers, $5.95@6.40; good to choice heavy, $6.30@6.47½; rough heavy, $6.00@6.25; light, $5.70@5.20; bulk of sales, $5.90@6.30.

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Excessive Taxation on Non-Producing Mining Properties.

To the Editor of the Gazette:

I desire to present to the consideration of the public and of the members of the Colorado legislature, the probable effect of high taxation of non-producing mining claims in Teller county.

The non-producing properties are known in the controversy now raging, as the properties of the small mine owners. By far the greater part of these unproductive claims are owned by the people at large, of every class, for it is difficult to find a frugal man who has not invested at least a part of his savings in the stock of these small companies.

It is in behalf of these that I wish to invite a study of the consequence sure to follow the success of the very earnest assessor of Teller county.

It is not difficult to know that whatever the reasons assigned for high assessments the result will be ruin to the companies which have nothing but unproductive ground and the hope that mineral is within them. It is absolutely beyond the power of the little companies to pay the exorbitant taxes assessed against them, and they will be seized and sold for debt, which means that all those who have invested in the stocks of such companies, will lose everything.

The assumption of the assessor is, that ore is in every acre and it ought to be forced out. If I have not the means to develop my claim rapidly, penalize my inability so heavily by taxes that the county government will take my property away from me and put it in the hands of another. It ought to be remembered that all producing mines were at one time non-producing, and that in 99 cases out of 100, it has required the expenditure of large sums to develop them into shippers, that now pay a liberal share of the burden of taxation.

It would seem a wiser statesmanship to encourage by every means the development of mines, even to the extent, if necessary, of taxing non-producers not at all, rather than to so multiply the burdens of developing a mine that none but the rich dare venture into this industry which has been the means of uplifting thousands of poor men into the rank of capitalists.

Other counties in Colorado impose no such burdens upon unproductive industry as the assessor of Teller county is attempting to impose on the owners of ground in the Cripple Creek district. The average valuation per acre of mining claims in other counties is less than $25. Mr. Lysight has valued non-producing claims in Cripple Creek in the producing area at an average of $3,000 per acre, and in considerable sections at $1,500 per acre. This means that the county will be compelled to confiscate the alleged valuable claims.

If the property has real value as mining property, as distinct from a purely speculative value, such value will ultimately be developed, and the property become a productive mine, and be subjected to the rules of assessment, provided for productive mines. Until it does become productive any high estimate of value for the property, as manifested by sales of stock or by sales of like unproductive property in the same vicinity, is based upon hope and expectation and not upon real value, and hopes and expectations are not in themselves legitimate subjects of taxation. A man may pay a high price for unproductive mining property (e. g. Mr. Lysight's reference to purchases by Mr. Stratton) because he hopes that he will find in it great value. If the hope is well founded, then, after the development of the property the state and county will get the benefit of the owner's efforts in discovering such value. If the owner should be disappointed and the property prove to be, in fact, worthless, then he is the loser to the amount of the excessive purchase price paid. Then it becomes apparent that there was no real value to justify either the high purchase price paid or the high assessment fixed upon the property.

There is no question in my mind but that Mr. Lysight's scheme of taxation is the worst enemy to the mining industry in Colorado. He will tax the small enterprises out of existence, and his pretended friendship will but be their ruin. The prospect is fraught with widespread danger to all in Colorado that have invested in mining enterprises. It means a long sleep for activity in Cripple Creek. It means a staggering blow to capital that is looking westward for mining opportunities for capital flees from consuming taxation.

No industry can be forced to prosper through punitive taxes.

Those who elected Mr. Lysight and now lend themselves to his designs will be the ones to repine most bitterly when the results are felt.

I conclude by citing an instance of the enormous increase in taxes on property of the Uncle Sam Mining company, a non-producing property in which I am interested.

Taxes in 1897 ... 6.88
" 1897 ... 7.30
" 1899 ... 78.51
" 1900 ... 652.84

This increase was made despite the fact that no ore was produced, but money was consumed in the search for it each year. There was no reason to assume that the property was worth more in 1900 than in 1897 and the decline in the stock indicated a large shrinkage and the same is true of hundreds of other companies owning non-producing property in the Cripple Creek district. Two hundred and sixteen of them joined with the above company to fight the excessive and erroneous taxation imposed by the assessor of Teller county and a test case of the same is now before the supreme court of Colorado, as the claim of Mr. Lysight that the change asked by the governor to section 82 of the revenue law was at the earnest entreaties of numerous small mine owners is not well based.

K. Mandermid.

A Travesty of Discussion.

To the Editor of the Gazette:

Opponents of the Bucklin amendment are continually shifting position. Their present attitude may be summed up in the couplet:

"I do not like you, Dr. Fell,
The reason why, I can not tell."

First they launched at the bill the ugly epithet "Confiscation." This is what the bill aims to prevent. Owners of unoccupied and now confiscate the increased values earned by the community at large. The Bucklin bill asks the landowner to return so much of this confiscated increase as will equal his share of the public expense. The public asks a small share of that which it has earned; the landowner asks for a large share of that which he did not earn. Which one favors confiscation?

The cry is heard that a change will unsettle values and stop the inflow of capital. Every change in a tax levy unsettles values more or less. Is it probable there will ever be less values to be unsettled in Colorado than now? Let us hope not. This plea is on a par with with that of a man who would not take a bath for fear of the shock to his system.

The inflow of capital would be increased. It seeks always to multiply itself. It flows always in the direction of the largest returns. If the tax on bare land is increased and that on improvements is decreased, it follows that capital will leave bare land and seek improvements. Is that not most desirable? Capital in bare land is unproductive. It bears the same relation to active capital that a tramp does to an honest workman. He eats up what others earn.

The principle behind the Bucklin bill is called a "fad and a theory." It has been tried in widely separated localities and under varying conditions, and in no case has a return been made willingly to the old conditions. Australasia can verify that. Its workings nearer home will approach the conditions in Colorado. At Hyattsville, Md., a town of 1,000, all taxes were levied on land values. It was in operation but one year before being declared unconstitutional. Yet during that year more buildings were erected and more outside capital invested than in three and one-half years following its repeal. The very men (real estate speculators) who were its most violent opponents became its most ardent supporters.

Kensington, a residence suburb of Washington, may not levy an all-land tax, but it does levy one-half the cost of municipal improvements—sidewalk, street and sewer taxes—on the abutting property, instead of on the town at large. Street lighting and water plants are being installed under the same system. The entire population, 800, has migrated from the District of Columbia, where land-grabbing syndicates have made home-getting almost impossible to men in ordinary circumstances.

Baltimore has made an indirect application of the principle also. Buildings, machinery, and tools used in manufacturing are exempt from local taxation. Result: Baltimore changed in a few years from a "dead" town to one of the liveliest manufacturing centers in the east.

Opponents of the Bucklin bill fear to trust the public with the discussion and settlement of this question, even so far as to make a partial application in a local way. They raise the long-exploded fallacy that only owners of property pay taxes, and that they alone should fix the tax levy. We all know that taxes are included in the rent and are paid by the renters of property. We know that whoever consumes an article pays all the taxes on it, and, therefore, whoever earns what he consumes is most vitally interested in taxation.

The Bucklin bill will not abolish poverty nor make a community prosper without labor. But it will increase the opportunities for a poor man to own a home. It will go far to establish these points: That labor, applied to land, is the prime source of all wealth. That taxes, applied to land, distribute themselves equally upon all forms of wealth. And also, that a land tax costs less to apply, and offers less chance for evasion or undervaluation than any of the multitude of makeshifts in vogue—including poll tax, income tax, and taxes on imports, luxuries, occupations, and improvements—and various other devices for getting the most goose feathers with the least squawking.

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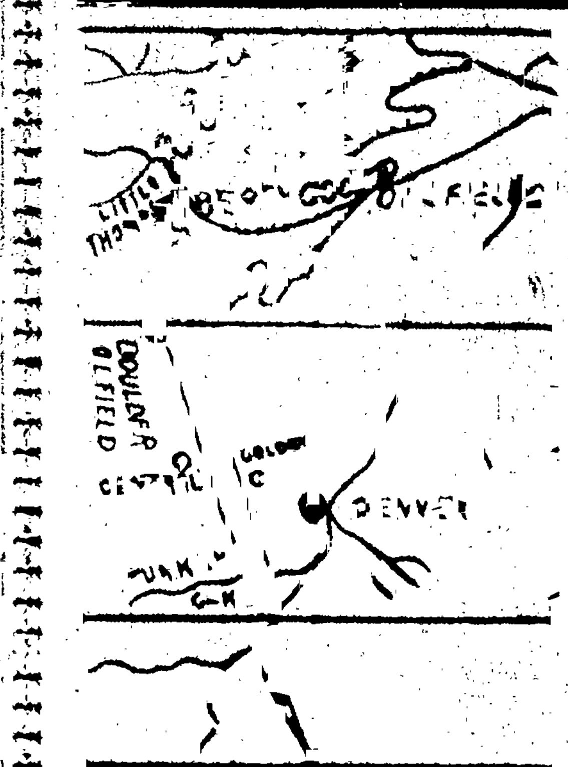

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FIFTEEN hundred dollars to loan for 90 days; good security required. Address Box 153, Colo. City, Colo.

MONEY TO LOAN—Any amount, lowest rates. Wm. C. Shapcott, 3 Gazette Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN on chattel security. H. A. Scurr, 20 S. Tejon st.

TO LOAN—6 per cent money. Williamson, 27 N. Tejon.

FOR SALE—HORSES, BICYCLES.

WE HAVE one more lumber wagon left and 3 saddle ponies, 2 saddles, 2 spring wagons, one work harness. Foster & Allen, Nevada Feed Yard.

FOR SALE—Horse and phaeton, horse has been driven by lady some years. Address Y-28, Gazette.

HORSE, surrey and harness cheap. Hall, Barnes hardware store, 17 S. Tejon.

HEAVY draft team, harness and wagon, must be sold. 227 E. Cucharas.

FOR SALE—A handsome gentle family mare. Address Box 1346, City.

PALMISTS.

HE IS HERE—The original Prof. Richard Sevah, king of clairvoyants, master of palmistry, occult worker and astrologer. Sevah has no superior living that reads your past, present and future, always consult the best. Full readings 50c and up. Parlors 114 N. Tejon st., rooms 5 and 6.

HAVE RENO read your hand and advise you on domestic, business and oil and mining affairs, accurate readings based on science, take lessons and learn to read for yourself, private entertainments in full or ental costume. 117½ S. Tejon st.

MRS. MONROE—Palmist, clairvoyant and card reader. 207 S. Cascade.

MADAM ISABEL—Clairvoyant and palmist, 20 S. Tejon, rooms 1 and 2.

TO RENT—BUSINESS.

TO RENT—Room for light manufacturing, good light; heat furnished. Hastings Bros., 22 N. Tejon st.

TO RENT—Desk room with heat, light and telephone service. Hastings Bros., 22 N. Tejon st.

TO RENT—Ground floor office, 10¼ Pike's Peak ave.

TO RENT—Desk room, $5.00 per month, 4 Gazette Bldg.

LOST.

LOST, or taken from carriage at Rio Grande depot Sunday night, one lady's plush cloak and cape. Liberal reward and no questions asked if returned to 704 W. Willamette ave.

LOST—[illegible] bill in the dressing room at the Kinnikinnick Monday evening. Return to this office and receive reward.

WATCH FOR Century Land company. W. Hilliard on lower bar. Return to the office and receive reward.

LOST—A bundle of clothes, Colorado ave., near viaduct. Please return to Gazette office; reward.

LOST—Bicycle, Wolf American racer, No. 32172. Reward if returned to Wheeler Cycle Co.

ON Feb. 1, blue [illegible] coat [illegible] P. [illegible] ave. [illegible] reward.

FOUND.

FOUND—Valuable pet. Owner can get [illegible] at 1st & [illegible]

AS TO TOBOGGANING.

It's just a whizz!
Tobogganing is—
And not like the good old sleigh
You have to hold on
Or else you are gone.
Toboggans are modeled that way.

It's just a whizz!
Tobogganing is
With more wa king back than there's pay
In a ages that's bygone
We had to hold on
In we didn't hold on to the sleigh.
—W. D. Nesbit.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS.
GROCERY STORES
DRUG STORE
CANDY STORE
CIGAR STORE
LAUNDRY
TRANSFER AND CARRIAGE BUSINESS
FINE MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE BUSINESS
THE BEST RETAIL BUSINESS ON TEJON
THE BEST BUSINESS IN THE STATE IN ITS LINE
In fact any kind of a business you may want.
RIEDEL, TORREY & CO.,
Exchange Bank Block.

TO TRADE.

TO TRADE—A good farm of 120 acres for mining stock or equity in good Colorado Springs property.
RIEDEL, TORREY & CO.,
Exchange Bank Block.

TO TRADE—Equity in new 7-room house for vacant lot or smaller place. Oil stock worth $400 for ranch; 75 acres in Kansas for property here. H. S. Lockwood, 104 Pike's Peak ave.

TO TRADE.
Real estate, west side, for grocery stock.
THE OLD WEST INVESTMENT CO.
116 Pike's Peak Ave. Phone 571.

LOTS in Hastings Arce additions in exchange for team work. 22 N. Tejon st.

GOOD small business for stock. Inquire 222 S. Institute st.

Watch for sewing machine. 312 N. Weber.

WANTED—HOUSES & ROOMS.

WANTED—Furnished house. Address A-103, Gazette.

WANTED—Housekeeping rooms. Address A-119, Gazette.

TO RENT—RANCHES.

HUNTER & CELL,
121 South Tejon St.

Say, neighbor, don't you know that Hunter & Cell have the best list of ranch properties for sale in El Paso county?

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Furniture of a 12-room boarding house, cheap, house for rent, new, modern, this is a snap. Mrs. C. McCurdy.

NEW Majestic range. 203 E. Costilla.

PROFESSIONAL.

SHAMPOOING and hairdressing, 25 cents. Madam Bothman, rooms 22, 24 DeGraff building, 115 North Tejon street.

MUSIC.

LADY with several years' experience desires a few piano pupils; rates very reasonable. 1817 Washington ave.

CARL NESS—Teacher violin, mandolin and guitar. 18 N. Tejon. Instruments furnished.

MISCELLANEOUS.

[illegible] for any move of household. W. [illegible] Huerfano st.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

SOUTH END REALTY CO.

[illegible] rooms, 2 closets, pantry and good cellar, lot 25x150 feet; this is a new and well built house; price $1,100, cash $200, bal. $15 per month.

[illegible]-room house, water at door, cellar, iron fence, lot 25x150 feet, price $1,200, cash $300, bal. easy.

4-room new house, water in yard, barn, chicken house and yard, lot 48x150 feet, price $1,150, part cash, bal. easy.

6-room house, sewer connections, cellar, lot 33x100 feet, price $1,300, cash $200, bal. $18 per month and interest.

7-room modern house, lawn and shade, lot 100x150 feet, price $3,000, will make terms. This property is in Ivywild.

10-room house in the republic, lot 50x190 feet, close in, price $8,000 cash, rents for $45 per month.

Money to loan on chattels and real estate, insurance, notary public and rentals.

SOUTH END REALTY CO.,
70 South Tejon St.

FOR SALE
7-r., full mod. house on N. Tejon st., [illegible] front, lot 50x190, large porch, lawn, fence, barn, 2 lava ories, bath, plenty of closets and 2 pantries; this is a beautiful home and a snap; can be sold on easy terms, was held at $6,750, now ... $6,000
6-r., mod. ex. heat, N. Tejon, lot 50x190, barn, lawn, fence, E. front, grate in parlor, rooms piped for gas heaters; this is a snap, as the lot is worth the price, can sell the two together if wanted, was $3,500, for a few days, with easy terms ... 3,000
[illegible]
Ranch of 80 acres, with ¼ water right, 5-r. house, barn, good improvements, all fenced, 30 acres in cultivation, most of the balance in alfalfa, close to ditch, warranty deed; price $15 per acre. This ranch is in the Arkansas Valley and will grow all kinds of fruit, vegetables, sugar beets, alfalfa, corn or anything you wish to raise. We have many other similar propositions.

Large list of houses and lots for sale.

Houses to rent.

List your property with us.

HODGES & FOOTE REALTY CO.,
Room 2 Gazette Bldg.

FOR SALE.

8-room house cor. lot, rents for $20 per month ... 1,300

Nice east side home, cor. lot, 90x140, 8 rooms fully modern ... 4,100

North end corner, 7 rooms, fully modern, close in ... 3,800

6-room house fully modern, on N. Weber st., full lot, barn and lots of trees, lawn, fence, etc., a fine home ... 4,500

A gilt edge property, close in, on N. Nevada, 14 rooms, entirely modern, full lot, barn... 8,000

ADAMS & WILLIAMS,
21 South Tejon St.

FRANKLIN & JONES
12-room modern house, new, [illegible] block N. Nevada, corner lot 50x190, hot water heat, 4 rooms first floor, 5 rooms second, 3 rooms third, large hallway, well built and will be sold for less than cost, as party has left town ... $9,500
7 rooms, modern, well located on E. Dale st., this is a good new and a bargain ... 3,450
If looking for a bargain in lots call and see us, as we are making a specialty of vacant property.
A good 4-room house, lot 50x130, barn, E. Moreno st., $150 cash, balance on time ... 1,600
We have several large houses in the north end which we can trade for good property south.
A new rustic 4-room cottage with lot 80x200, close in, on Cheyenne road, running water and shade, $100 cash, balance to suit, $1,000.
We have others like this.
See us about household furniture for [illegible]
FRANKLIN & JONES,
Phone 157. 27½ N. Tejon St.

BOOKING HOUSES
RESTAURANT
[illegible]
BOARDING HOUSES

A large list of these. Now is the time to buy and get ready for summer trade.
RINDE, TORREY & CO.,
Exchange Bank Block.

$4,800—New 8-room fully modern house, full cement floor basement and a new 4-room modern cottage, lot 50x150 feet, 2 blocks east of college, rents $30 per month, $2,500 cash, balance [illegible]
$4,200—8-room cottage & 3-room house, both modern except furnace, small house and barn in rear, lot 109x190 feet, room for several cottages, rentals $50 per month, 2 blocks from North park.
$10,000—A 50x190-foot Nevada avenue improved corner, 1 block from new court house, buildings all in first class shape and pays 10 per cent net on the investment.
REAL ESTATE, LOANS, RENTALS AND INSURANCE.
W. W. WILLIAMSON,
Tel. 476 A. 27 N. Tejon St.

THE RIGHT KIND OF AN INVESTMENT

is one that will be SAFE and PAY. Mr. [illegible] to say, and if you want any of the FIRST HUNDRED LOTS in our new addition near the Telluride reduction works at $50 each, you will have to hurry, for the price will advance to $80 in a few days. Sales are only made to parties who build. No speculators need apply. Many new houses are now going up and new contracts are being made every day. Come in and look matters up if you want a LIVE THING. The Colorado Lumber, Land and Improvement Co., 223 W. Huerfano.

AS AN INVESTMENT, Canon City real estate is safe, returns good interest. We have several properties now for sale which will return the owner from 10 to 15 per cent clear on the investment. Send to us for description of them, also of fruit and alfalfa lands in the famous Arkansas valley. Illustrated circulars and maps free. DeWeese & Turabull, 311 Main street.

ELEVEN HOUSES, well located, on car line, winter rents $114 per month, these rent in summer for $150 per month, the owner wants a bargain you can get [illegible]

IF HOUSES AND LOTS FOR SALE by paying a small amount down, then rents [illegible] per month. W. Huerfano or call phone [illegible] for rent and for sale.

FOR SALE—Fine house of [illegible] rooms, fine air, electric light, water, bath, toilet, range, sink, sewer, near lawn and shade. Price [illegible] cash and $15 per month at 8 per cent.

THE [illegible] CO., [illegible]

$2,000 CASH will buy a modern 6-room furnished house, now renting for $40 per month, everything new, see us to-day. [illegible]

[illegible] CANYON [illegible] for any [illegible] Cripple Creek. [illegible] City, Colo.

FOR SALE—[illegible]

LOOK AT THIS!

If you are tired of paying rent and want a 4-room house in a good locality at a bargain, see owner, 15 [illegible]

SOUTH END LOTS

$40 TO $80

INSTALLMENT PLAN

FIVE-ROOM RESIDENCE, 5 BLOCKS FROM NEW COURT HOUSE, $800.

ON EASY TERMS

YOW LD LOTS $75 TO $250

DORN & STRAUBLE,

[illegible] TEJON STREET

FOR SALE—Modern home, 7 rooms, [illegible] easy terms; north [illegible] Gazette.

TO SALE—Very cheap, lot 60x130, N. Tejon. Address Owner, 231 N. Spruce.

[illegible] Winter Trips

To the resorts south in the south and southwest at extremely low rates via the

COLORADO & SOUTHERN RY.

Here are a few of the many resorts to which round trip tickets are now on sale:

TEXAS—
Fort Worth
Houston
Galveston
Austin
San Antonio
[illegible]
Mineral Wells
[illegible]
Corpus Christi
LOUISIANA—
New Orleans
Lake Charles
MEXICO—
City of Mexico
Monterey
Guadalajara
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] Colorado & Southern [illegible] Denver, Colo.

LEGAL NOTICES.

DEFERRED ANNUAL MEETING
Colorado Springs, Colo., January 30, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the deferred annual meeting of the stockholders of the Findley Gold Mining company will be held at the office of the company, Nos. 18 and 20 Hagerman building, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Wednesday, the fifth day of March A. D. 1902, at the hour of 10 a. m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. If you cannot be present personally please sign the enclosed proxy and return to this office at Colorado Springs, Colo.
The books for the transfer of stock will be closed February [illegible], 1902, and will reopen March 7, 1902.
B. C. Newcomb, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING.
Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan. 20, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colorado Springs Gazette Publishing company will be held at the office of the company, Gazette building, Colorado Springs, Colo., February 1[illegible], 1902, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. The books for the transfer of stock will close January 21, 1902, and will open February 12, 1902.
The Colorado Springs Gazette Publishing Company. W. McK. Barbour, Sec'y.

The deferred annual meeting of the Century Mining and Milling Company will be held at the office of the Company, 59 Bank Building, Colorado Springs, Colorado, February 17, 1902, at 10 a. m., to elect Directors for the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
E. F. Bennett, President.
Sidney W. Rogers, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
Colorado Springs, Colo., Feb. 8th, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of THE EL PASO CONSOLIDATED GOLD MINING COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, Room 406 Mining Exchange Building, Colorado Springs, Colo., on Monday, March 10th, A. D. 1902, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and such other and further business as may properly come before said meeting.
The books for the transfer of stock will close on Wednesday, March 5th, 1902, and reopen on Tuesday, March 11th, 1902.
H. B. Bernard, President.
J. K. Jordan, Secretary.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

THE ROCK ISLAND ROUTE.

LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.
No. 6—Vestibuled Limited for Chicago and St. Louis, via Kansas City, St. Joe and Omaha ... 8.40 pm
No. 10—Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis ... 2.35 pm
No. 5—Limited to Pueblo ... 7.55 am
ARRIVE COLORADO SPRINGS.
No. 5—Vestibuled Limited from Chicago ... 7.35 am
No. 9—Fast Express from Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis ... 10.35 am
Through sleepers and chair cars on all trains. Dining cars for all meals.
W. W. WOOD, General Agent.

DENVER & RIO GRANDE R. R.
(Scenic Line.)

SOUTH, WEST AND EAST
No. 5—Leaves 10.23 a. m. Pacific Coast Express—Pueblo, Canon, Alamosa, Leadville, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Utah, Idaho, Montana, Washington, Oregon, California, Cripple Creek.
No. 1—Leaves 12.10 noon, Pacific Coast Limited—Pueblo, Canon, Leadville, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Utah, Nevada, California, Cripple Creek.
No. 9—Leaves 4.20 p. m.—Pueblo, Florence, Canon City.
No. 11—Leaves 8.47 p. m., St. Louis Express—Pueblo, Kansas City and east.
No. 3—Leaves 10.37 p. m., Utah and California Express—Pueblo, Leadville, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Utah, Idaho, Montana, Washington, Oregon, Alamosa, Creede, Silverton, Santa Fe.
No. 15—Leaves 12.13 night, Colorado Express for Pueblo, Canon, Cripple Creek, Salida, Gunnison, Ouray, Telluride, Buena Vista, Leadville, Grand Junction.
No. 6—Leaves 4.35 a. m. for Denver from Grand Junction, Ouray, Telluride, Silverton, Durango, Leadville, Cripple Creek.
No. 8—Leaves 7.00 a. m. for Denver from California, Oregon, Utah, Grand Junction, Glenwood, Leadville, Canon, Pueblo.
No. 12—Leaves 10.10 a. m. for Denver from St. Louis, Kansas City, Pueblo.
No. 2—Leaves 1.[illegible] p. m. for Denver from California, Utah, Grand Junction, Glenwood, Leadville, Buena Vista, Cripple Creek.
No. 10—Leaves 3.32 p. m. for Denver from Cripple Creek, Canon, Florence, Pueblo.
No. 4—Leaves 6.5 p. m. for Denver from California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Grand Junction, Glenwood, Leadville, Canon, Pueblo, Cripple Creek.

MANITOU TRAINS
Lv. Colo. Spgs. ... Lv. Manitou.
8.00 am ... 7.00 am
... 9.00 am
12.00 noon ...
5.50 pm ... 12.45 noon
Only 15 minutes' run to Manitou.
City Office 18 North Tejon Street.

FLORENCE & CRIPPLE CREEK RAILROAD.
(And Associated Roads.)

VIA D. & R. G. R. R.
Time table in effect Sunday, Oct. 27, 1901.

Leave Denver	9.00 am	9.30 pm
Leave Colo. Springs	11.58 am	12.07 am
Leave Pueblo	1.28 pm	1.53 am
Leave Florence	2.50 pm	5.00 am
Leave Canon City		6.05 am
Arrive Victor	5.00 pm	9.03 am
Arrive Cripple Creek	5.25 pm	9.30 am
Leave Cripple Creek	10.00 am	7.30 pm
Leave Victor	10.35 am	8.00 pm
Arrive Canon City		10.15 pm
Arrive Florence	12.27 pm	
Arrive Pueblo	1.42 pm	2.40 am
Arrive Colo. Springs	2.47 pm	4.25 am
Arrive Denver	5.00 pm	7.15 am

SANTA FE.

Union Station East Pikes Peak Avenue (November 3, 1901.)
EAST BOUND AND CALIFORNIA.
Kansas City and Chicago ... 6.00 am
Denver to Pueblo ... 11.00 am
Denver to Pueblo ... 2.20 pm
California Limited and Kansas City and Chicago ... 6.20 pm
Chicago vestibuled electric lighted ... 9.00 pm
Denver to Colorado Springs ... 11.00 pm
NORTH BOUND TO DENVER
Colorado Springs to Denver ... 4.00 am
From Chicago, Kansas City and California ... 7.00 am
Kansas City to Denver ... 11.55 am
Pueblo to Denver ... 4.00 pm
Limited from California ... 5.40 pm
Pueblo to Denver ... 6.20 pm
City Passenger Agt., 18 N. Tejon St.
A. E. FORD, Depot Agent.

THE MIDLAND TERMINAL.
(Cripple Creek Short Line)

Leave Colorado Springs	12.05 am
Arrive Cripple Creek	4.18 am
Leave Colorado Springs	8.00 am
Arrive Cripple Creek	10.[illegible] am
Leave Colorado Springs	11.[illegible] am
Arrive Cripple Creek	2.00 pm
Leave Colorado Springs	[illegible] pm
Arrive Cripple Creek	[illegible] pm
Leave Colorado Springs	[illegible] pm
Arrive Cripple Creek	[illegible] pm
Leave Colorado Springs	[illegible] pm
Arrive Cripple Creek	[illegible] am

Trains arriving at Colorado Springs at [illegible] a. m. and leaving at 12.05 a. m. [illegible] Denver.

UNION PACIFIC.

DOUBLE DAILY SERVICE

Train No. 2			Train No. 1
Lv. 10.[illegible] am	Colo. Spgs.	Ar.	[illegible] am
Ar. 11.40 am	Pueblo	Lv.	[illegible] am
Lv. 1.00 pm	Pueblo	Ar.	11.[illegible] am
Ar. 8.00 am	Kansas City	Lv.	[illegible] pm
Lv. 9.50 am	Kansas City	Ar.	[illegible] pm
Ar. 6.05 pm	St. Louis	Lv.	[illegible] am

Train No. 8			Train No. 5
Lv. 5.47 pm	Colo. Spgs.	Ar.	[illegible] am
Ar. 7.00 pm	Pueblo	Lv.	[illegible] am
Lv. 7.20 pm	Pueblo	Ar.	[illegible] am
Ar. 6.40 pm	Kansas City	Lv.	10.00 am
Lv. 9.00 pm	Kansas City	Ar.	7.[illegible] am
Ar. 7.[illegible] am	Kansas City	Lv.	[illegible]

The best line. Only one change of cars between Colorado and New York city in Union depot—no transfer. Through Pullman palace buffet sleeping coaches and free reclining chair cars. All trains lighted with the famous Pintsch gas light and heated with steam (no danger of fire).
J. M. [illegible]
Pass. and Ticket Agt., 18 N. Tejon St.
W. A. KNERR,
Ticket Agent, Union Depot.

MANITOU & PIKES PEAK RY. CO.

Up Trains Daily	STATIONS
8.25 am	Manitou
9.43 am	Minnehaha
10.02 am	Halfway House
10.08 am	Mountain View
10.38 am	Windy Point
11.00 am	Summit

Down Trains Daily	STATIONS
3.45 pm	Summit
[illegible]	Windy Point
[illegible]	Mountain View
[illegible]	Halfway House
[illegible]	Minnehaha
5.15 pm	Manitou

COLORADO MIDLAND RAILWAY.

WEST BOUND
No. 1—Cripple Creek Express, leaves ... 12.01 am
No. 3—Salt Lake and San Francisco Limited, leaves ... 12.[illegible] am
No. 7—Cripple Creek and Victor Local, leaves ... 8.0[illegible] am
No. 5—Leadville, Glenwood, Salt Lake and San Francisco Express, leaves ... [illegible] am
EAST BOUND
No. 10—Cripple Creek and Denver Local, arrives ... 1.[illegible] am
No. 6—San Francisco, Salt Lake and Glenwood Express, arrives ... 6.30 am
No. 8—Cripple Creek and Victor Local, arrives ... 9.45 am
No. 12—Cripple Creek Express, arrives ... 5.[illegible] pm
No. 4—San Francisco and Salt Lake Limited, arrives ... 6.15 pm
City Ticket Office 18 N. Tejon Street.
CHAS. CHANDLER, City Pass. Agt.

COLORADO SPRINGS & CRIPPLE CREEK DISTRICT RAILWAY.
(Short Line.)

WEST BOUND
No. 5—Lv. Colorado Springs ... [illegible] am
Ar. Cripple Creek ... 1.[illegible] pm
No. 9—Lv. Colorado Springs ... 4.[illegible] pm
Ar. Cripple Creek ... 7.15 pm
EAST BOUND
No. 8—Lv. Cripple Creek ... 7.[illegible] am
Ar. Colorado Springs ... 10.[illegible] am
No. 4—Lv. Cripple Creek ... 4.[illegible] pm
Ar. Colorado Springs ... [illegible] pm
Through trains of day coaches between Denver and Cripple Creek are run over the D. & R. G. [illegible] to and from Colorado Springs.
The Short Line trains arrive at and depart from D. & R. G. station, Antlers park, Colorado Springs.
City Ticket Office No. 18 N. Tejon St.

THE COLORADO ROAD
The Colorado & Southern Railway.

Depot East Pike's Peak Avenue (Union Passenger Station)
NORTH BOUND
No. 9—For Denver and Central City ... 4.10 am
No. 5—For Denver, Boulder and east ... 7.00 am
No. 1—For Denver, Chicago, St. Louis ... [illegible] pm
No. 15—For Denver, via Manitou, Junction ... 7.00 am
No. 607—For Denver and east ... [illegible] am
No. 603—For Denver ... 3.10 pm
No. 3—For Denver, Chicago, St. Louis and east ... 6.2[illegible] pm
SOUTH BOUND
No. 608—For Pueblo ... [illegible] am
No. 10—From Denver (arrives) ... 2.[illegible] am
No. 4—For Pueblo ... 11.00 am
No. 2—For Pueblo, Trinidad and Texas ... 2.30 pm
No. 602—For Pueblo ... [illegible] pm
No. 6—For Pueblo and Chicago ... 10.[illegible] pm
No. 12—From Denver (arrives) ... 11.[illegible] pm
No. 14—From Denver via Manitou Junction (arrives) ... [illegible]
G. M. JACOBS, Commercial Agent,
Phone 21. 18 North Tejon St.

ARRIVAL OF MAIL.

FROM THE EAST
Julesburg and Denver ... 1.47 pm
Kansas City and La Junta, Train 5 ... 7.0[illegible] am
Kansas City and Colorado Springs, Train 5 ... 7.[illegible] am
Kansas City, Salina and Pueblo ... [illegible] am
Kansas City and Colorado Springs, Train [illegible] ... 10.[illegible] am
Kansas City and Denver ... [illegible] pm
Pacific Junction and Denver ... 10.[illegible] pm
FROM DENVER AND THE NORTH
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 5 ... [illegible]
Denver and Rio Grande, Train 11 ... [illegible] am
Denver and Fort Worth, Train 18 ... 7.[illegible] pm
Denver (closed pouch) ... 12.[illegible] am
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 3 ... 10.[illegible] pm
Denver and La Junta, Train [illegible] ... [illegible] am
FROM TEXAS AND THE SOUTH
Denver and La Junta, Train [illegible] ... [illegible] am
Denver and Fort Worth, Train 1 ... 1.[illegible] pm
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 4 ... [illegible] pm
Pueblo and S vertor ... [illegible] am
Salida and Ouray ... 4.[illegible] am
Cripple Creek and Florence ... 4.[illegible] am
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 6 ... [illegible]
FROM CALIFORNIA AND THE WEST
Elkton and Independence ... [illegible] am
Denver and La Junta, Train [illegible] ... 10.[illegible] am
Colorado Springs and Aspen, Train 4 ... 4.15 pm
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 1 ... 6.[illegible] pm
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 6 ... [illegible] am
Colorado City and Manitou ... [illegible] am
Cripple Creek and Victor ... [illegible] am
Lytle, Mondays ... [illegible] pm
Clyde and Hobart and Cripple Creek, Love ... [illegible] pm

DEPARTURES OF MAIL.

FOR THE EAST
Kansas City and Colorado Springs, Train 10 ... 2.[illegible] pm
Kansas City and Colorado Springs, Train 6 ... [illegible] pm
Kansas City and La Junta, Train 6 ... [illegible] pm
FOR DENVER AND THE NORTH
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 4 ... [illegible]
Denver (closed pouch) ... [illegible] am
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 8 ... 7.0[illegible] am
FOR THE SOUTH AND WEST
Denver and Grand Junction, Train [illegible] ... [illegible] am
Colorado Springs and Aspen, Train 1 ... 11.[illegible] am
Denver and Fort Worth, Train 2 ... 2.[illegible] pm
Denver and La Junta, Train [illegible] ... [illegible] pm
Pueblo (closed pouch) ... [illegible] pm
Denver and Grand Junction, Train 3 ... 10.[illegible] pm
Denver and La Junta, Train [illegible] ... [illegible] am
Cripple Creek and Clyde and Hobart, Love ... 10.[illegible] am
Colorado City and Manitou ... 7.[illegible] am
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Independence and Elkton ... 11.[illegible] am
All mails close [illegible] minutes before departure of trains.

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It's only [illegible] [illegible]

CITY ITEMS.

DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado college weather bureau. Observations recorded in local time:

Feb. 10, 6 p. m., to Feb. 11, 6 p. m.

Temperature at 6 a. m.	36
Temperature at 12 m.	58
Temperature at 6 p. m.	53
Maximum temperature	60
Minimum temperature	32
Mean temperature	45
Max. barometric pressure, inches	24.00
Min. barometric pressure, inches	23.86
Mean velocity of wind per hour	8
Max. velocity of wind per hour	32
Relative humidity at 6 a. m.	53
Relative humidity at 12 m.	40
Relative humidity at 6 p. m.	54
Mean relative humidity	49
Mean dew point	31
Precipitation in inches	0

WEATHER FORECAST

Washington, Feb. 11.—Forecast for Colorado: Cloudy, with snow, colder in eastern portion, with cold wave by Thursday morning; Thursday probably snow, variable winds.

Satisfied people wear Ashby's spectacles.

20 per cent. discount on Persian and Oriental rugs this week. Prices marked in plain figures. 4½ E. Pike's peak.

SMOKER—Eldorado council, No. 1114, Royal Arcanum, will hold a smoker on Friday evening, February 14, at the lodge room in Odd Fellows hall.

TEJON LODGE—There will be a special communication of Tejon lodge No. 104, A. F. and A. M., this evening at 7:30. Work F. C. degree. Visitors welcome.

GLEE CLUB CONCERT—The date for the concert of the Colorado College Glee club has finally been set for March 7 and the best concert in the history of the organization is expected.

UNION PROGRESS CLUB—The Union Progress club will hold an open meeting and reception at the home of Mrs. W. S. Nichols, 705 N. Nevada avenue, this Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Full attendance is requested.

MYRTLE LODGE—No. 34, K. of P., meet in regular session this evening in their hall, third floor, DeGraff block. There will be work in the Page rank. All members are requested to be present. All visiting knights are cordially invited to attend.

U. R. K. P.—There will be a special meeting of Pike's Peak company No. 10, U. R. K. of P., this evening in their armory at 8:30. All members are requested to be present as matters of importance will be brought before the meeting.

WARRANTY DEEDS—Among the warranty deeds recorded yesterday were the following: Lazard Cahn to John T. Sheehan, $1,500, lot 15, block 1, addition 2; Samuel Knight to Mary E. Barrett, $1,350, part of lot 3, White's sub-division.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS—The ladies of the Woman's Relief corps will commemorate the birth of Abraham Lincoln with one of their very popular open meetings this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock in G. A. R. hall. The public is most cordially invited.

OYSTER SOCIAL—The married ladies of the Swedish Lutheran church will give an oyster social this evening (Wednesday) for the benefit of the church. The social will be at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Youngdahl, 214 North Walnut street. All cordially welcome.

WILL ENTERTAIN PLAYERS—Mrs. L. A. E. Ahlers will entertain the baseball men of Colorado college and other athletic devotees of the institution this afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock in honor of Mr. C. H. Mallon. The reception will be at South hall.

ORATORICAL CONTEST—The preliminary oratorical contest of Colorado college, for the purpose of determining the representative of the college in the intercollegiate contest that is to occur soon, will be held tonight at Perkins hall. Admission is free and an interesting program is assured.

MARRIAGE LICENSES—Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Walter A. Lincoln and Cecile Blower, of Colorado Springs; James Benguerel ditPeriond of Idaho Springs, and Elizabeth Lane of Idaho Springs; William H. McAndrew and Susan A. Feehan, both of Colorado City.

INDIAN PICTURES—The Colorado Midland has received another consignment of the large Indian pictures which attracted considerable attention a few weeks ago. The demand for the pictures has been heavy and this led to having more sent to this office. The pictures will be sold at 25 cents each. They are quite expensive and when framed make pretty pictures. They are to be had at the local ticket office.

MISS ADDAMS—Considerable interest is being manifested in the coming address of Jane Addams of Hull House, Chicago, which is to occur at the First Baptist church on Sunday evening next. The address is in connection with the meeting of the Colorado conference of Charities and Corrections which will occur here on Sunday and Monday, full particulars of which, with program, appeared in the Gazette last Sunday morning.

HOFMANN CONCERT—The Josef Hofmann concert under the auspices of the Colorado Springs Musical club will occur at Perkins hall on the evening of February 26. The club has made the price of course tickets for the remaining two concerts of the season $3 and it is expected that the support given the club for its great work in bringing such an artist as Mr. Hoffman to Colorado Springs will result in one of the largest audiences ever given such an entertainment here.

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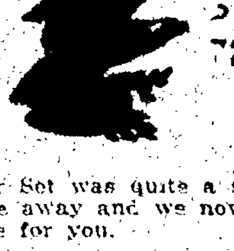

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2 lbs. Home Made Mince Meat	.25	Primrose Butter, none better	.27½
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